WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh westerly winds; partly cloudy with showers.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair with occasional rain.

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FORMAL PACT NOT FAVORED BY LIBERALS

Parliamentary Group Decides Against Entering Alliance With Labor Gov't

DECISION IS REACHED ON VOTE OF 35 TO 17

MacDonald Ministry Faces New Crisis in Conservative Censure Motion

LONDON, March 24 (CP).—Another move was made tonight on the British political chessboard, as the Parliamentary Liberal Party decided against entering into a formal pact or alliance with Premier Ramsay MacDonald's Labor Government.

This decision was reached late tonight only after five and a half hours of discussion, conducted largely under a veil of secrecy.

STATEMENT OF POLICY

Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, Liberal leader, put forth paragraph by paragraph a statement of Liberal policy. After the dinner adjournment, the meeting, by thirty-five votes to seventeen, finally decided on a general declaration of attitude which will stress the independence of the party at all times.

It was learned, however, the Liberals are ready to promise general support to the Government if the Administration pursues a line of policy laid down by the Liberals.

The actual terms of the party declaration will remain a secret until Mr. Lloyd George discloses them at a meeting of the Liberal Candidates' Association, which he will address next Thursday.

VOTE OF CENSURE

Meanwhile the MacDonald Government faces a new crisis, as the Conservatives have given notice of their intention to move a vote of censure of the Government regarding its handling of the unemployment situation.

Sir John Simon left the Liberal meeting before it had ended—a fact which is being given significance by political gossip tonight and construed as indicative that his attitude has now hardened into "irreconcilability.

INVESTIGATION TO TAKE PLACE

Thorough Probe of Affairs of City of New York Ordered by State Assembly

ALBANY, N.Y., March 24 (AP).—An investigation of the affairs of the city of New York was assured early today when the Assembly, after a protracted debate, concurred with the Senate in the adoption of a resolution calling for a thorough-going inquiry of all departments of the municipal government and the inferior courts.

The vote was 76 to 70. As in the Senate, the division was strictly on party lines.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

A resolution, calling for an investigation by a legislative committee composed of three Senators and four Assemblymen, was adopted, 26 to 24, by the Senate last night.

The action on the resolution followed by a few hours announcement by Governor Roosevelt that he had transmitted to Mayor James J. Walker charges against him and a demand for removal of that official by the city affairs committee of New York.

MAYOR'S ADMINISTRATION

The mayor's administration will fall within the scope of the inquiry. The resolution calls for an inquiry of the city so broad as to include virtually every phase of the government and the city's judiciary. To give still greater powers, the resolution empowers the investigators to look into any other matter not specifically named in the resolution itself.

The resolution carries an appropriation of $250,000 for the expenses of the investigation, and requires that the committee report its findings, with recommendations for legislation, not later than February 1, 1932.

Says Polar Trip Most Hazardous

LOWELL, Mass., March 24 (AP).—Commander Donald B. Macmillan, explorer, speaking here today on the proposed cruise of Sir Hubert Wilkins in a submarine under the North Pole, termed it the most hazardous proposition ever attempted by an Arctic explorer.

Commander MacMillan said the submarine could reach the North Pole only by chance, because the navigation is dependent on moon and stars and that when submerged, the ship's captain could not get his navigation points.

He further said that the submarine, if caught in an ice pack, would have no chance of escaping. The explorer said he had seen Polar ice forty feet thick.

Council Will Ask Refunding Power To Cut Tax Levy

Approval by Government Would Enable Aldermanic Board to Fix 1931 Rate at 42 Mills—Amount Is Set at $200,000—Replace $40,000 in Sinking Fund Account

Special Committee Will Appeal To Provincial Legislature Today

BY adopting a policy of refunding a portion of the city's serial bond maturities through the issue of sinking fund debentures, subject to the approval of the Provincial Legislature, the Victoria City Council will be able to fix the 1931 tax rate at 42 mills, a drop of 6 mills from the original draft and an increase of only 1½ mills over the 1930 levy.

This course was decided upon at the regular meeting of the aldermanic board yesterday afternoon after all other measures had been discarded. The division was 8 to 2, Alderman J. L. Mara and Alderman Robert Smith voting against the measure as opposed to the principle of borrowing to reduce the tax rate.

GO TO PARLIAMENT

The special legislative committee of the council will go to the Parliament Buildings today armed with the authority to apply for an enactment which will permit the council to legally carry out its proposed programme. Preliminaries to the request were completed by civic officials last week, pending the decision of the council.

The amount required for refunding purposes was set at $200,000. In view of the fact that the Government might not look with favor on the removal of $100,000 from surplus earnings of the sinking fund, the council will replace $40,000 in that account, leaving a net amount to be applied to reducing the tax rate of $60,000.

Members of the council stated they saw little difficulty in securing the consent of the Legislature in the matter of refunding. It will be pointed out that the policy of refunding has been adopted to meet an extraordinary situation caused mainly through a falling off of city revenue from land sales, liquor profits and other unforeseen contingencies.

APPROVE SUGGESTIONS

The City Council has taken cognizance of the danger of land reversions and other obstacles in the way of collecting the city's normal revenue and, by its action yesterday, has given approval to the suggestions offered by members of the real estate board and representative property owners, who are not expected to offer any opposition to a forty-two-mill tax levy for 1931.

All members of the council were given an opportunity to express their views on the refunding proposal before the vote was taken. The discussion lasted about forty-five minutes. The resolution to request refunding legislation was moved by Alderman Robert Dewar and seconded by Alderman W. T. Straith.

Exemptions From New Income Tax Will Be Increased

WHEN the Taxation Bill comes down late today or tomorrow exemptions will extend on incomes on married wage earners who are in receipt of under $25 weekly, and unmarried wage earners who are in receipt of 15, it was learned last night. The provisions of the taxation legislation for the session, as announced in the budget, only contemplated exemptions on earnings less than $12 weekly.

INDIA BOWED IN MOURNING

Nationalists Protest in Cities and Towns Against Hanging of Compatriots

BOMBING AIRPLANES HOVER OVER KARACHI

KARACHI, India, March 24 (AP).—Stirred by the execution of three compatriots, Nationalist India was bowed in mourning today.

Processions of bareheaded, white-robed Indians carrying black flags marched through cities and towns in protest of the hanging.

A hartal was proclaimed for a period of two days. The Nationalist tricolor was at half mast at the headquarters of the All-Indian National Congress.

The men were convicted of assassinating a British police commissioner in 1926 and of hurling a bomb into the Legislative Assembly at New Delhi in 1929.

Karachi was heavily fortified by British authorities to guard against outbreaks. Bombing airplanes hovered over the city and the reinforced garrison was ready to meet any emergencies.

TENSE FEELING PREVAILS

A tense feeling prevailed among foreigners who have been cautioned not to circulate unduly among the natives.

The influx of thousands of delegates gathering for the opening of the congress on Friday added to the difficulties. Coming from all parts of the country they pitched their tents on the desert at the outskirts of the city and participated in impressive prayers for the souls of the hanged men.

Some of the problems which probably will be discussed at the congress are ratification of the terms of the truce between Lord Irwin and Gandhi, and rejection or acceptance of the London round-table proposals. Gandhi is expected to arrive tomorrow.

ADMINISTRATOR TO GREET RULER

King and Queen of Siam Will Not Appear at Public Receptions

When the King and Queen of Siam arrive in British Columbia aboard the Canadian Pacific liner Emprers of Japan, en route to New York, April 17, they will not appear at public receptions in Victoria or Vancouver.

Their Majesties are traveling incognito, and their only official acts will be to receive Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald, Administrator of the province in the absence of Lieut.-Governor R. Randolph Bruce, aboard the liner on its arrival in Victoria.

Arriving in Vancouver later in the day, the King and Queen will receive Vancouver's official greetings from Mayor L. D. Taylor. Midnight, April 17, the royal party will leave by special train over Canadian Pacific lines for New York by way of Chicago and the Twin Cities.

Fifteen persons, four of them of royal blood, including Prince Svasti, uncle of the King and father of the Queen, and Princess Svasti; Prince Chirasakti, cousin of the King; Prince Amoradat Kridakara, Siamese minister at Washington, make up the official entourage.

At New York the King will undergo treatment for an eye infection.

Heads Aerial Search for Missing Men

BERNT BALCHEN

pilot for Admiral Byrd at the South Pole, with two companions, is searching for twenty-six men missing since the sealer Viking was blown to pieces by an explosion nine days ago near Horse Island, Newfoundland.

VICTIMS OF WRECK LAND

Survivors of Viking Explosion Reveal Incidents of Great Heroism

SICK AND INJURED TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 24 (CP). — Drama of the sealer Viking is concluding. One of the closing acts ended early today when the steamer Sagona, returning from the scene of the disastrous explosion, brought back to port thirteen sick and injured members of the Viking personnel and the body of Captain William Kennedy, to whom pneumonia brought death a few hours before the Sagona reached St. John's.

The next scene, shifting from the ice off Northern Newfoundland and the task of bringing survivors to port, will deal with an official public inquiry into the tragedy. Meanwhile, two United States aeroplane expeditions, hastily organized to relieve missing survivors and take pictures having to do with the disaster, are safe at their bases in Newfoundland.

WERE SINGING HYMNS

The story of how the Viking struck a heavy pan of ice, lurched, and blew up about 8 o'clock on March 15, while many of the men were below deck singing hymns, was gleaned from of the survivors soon after the Sagona docked.

The tale included a touch of superstition, regarded as an omen

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Dictatorship May Be Established in Spain by Monarch

Three Days of Constitutional Liberty Marked by Rioting Throughout Nation—Liberal Leader Declares Political War on Premier Eznar

MADRID, March 24 (AP).—Bullets spattered in the streets of Madrid today as King Alfonso, returned only this morning from a visit to his mother-in-law in London, sat in his palace worrying over the riots three days of liberty had brought to the capital.

These were the highlights of an exciting day:

Alca Zamora, who proclaimed a republic last December, was released from prison under suspended sentence of six months and a day. Several of his companions in the December movement were liberated with him.

ISSUES MANIFESTO

Santiago Alba, powerful Liberal leader, came home after eight years of self-imposed exile, placed himself at the head of the Constitutionalists and in an uncompromising manifesto declared political war on Premier Eznar, and called upon the King to take a vacation while a constitutional convention decides whether Spain shall remain a monarchy or become a republic.

University students here, in Salamanca and elsewhere deserted their classrooms, and police, breaking up their parades, fired into rioting groups, wounding three seriously and injuring twenty or thirty others.

Those close to the King said he was reluctant to abandon his efforts to give the nation real constitutional liberty, but in view of what three days of freedom had brought, there was no possibility that he would hesitate long to restore the iron hand of dictatorship.

AMNESTY IS DEMANDED

In Valencia this afternoon 30,000 men and women gathered in a mass meeting to demand amnesty for political prisoners. There was no violence, but police had some difficulty keeping the throng under control.

At Cordoba a mob of unemployed raided the groceries and butcher shops, giving battle when police rode them down. Two men were wounded and many arrested.

ARE ENTERTAINED BY KING

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Lord Bessborough, new Governor-General of Canada, with Lady Bessborough, lunched with the King and Queen today at Buckingham Palace.

Saanich School By-Law to Face People April 18

SAANICH ratepayers will vote on the new by-law for three high schools in the municipality on Saturday, April 18, fixing of the date having been left to the school board by the council, and settled last night. Upon notification by the council that it was unable to grant $93,000 extraordinary estimates for high school purposes, a formal motion that the council be asked to submit a by-law was made by Trustee Briggs, seconded by Trustee Thorpe and unanimously carried.

FOUR TAKEN AT DEMONSTRATION

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Four men, two of whom are on city and one on New Westminster relief, were arrested during a demonstration by Communists in front of the City Hall at 2:30 p.m. They resisted efforts of police to keep them moving, although they did not fight.

The arrested men are John Myronyk, William Plank, Alfred Bruty and E. Ovarno.

John Myonyk, aged forty-four, who admitted that he had been drawing relief in New Westminster for several months, was found to be in possession of a bankbook showing a balance of $127. He declared that he had come to Vancouver to demonstrate. Two of the others held city relief tickets.

DAIRY AGREEMENT REVEALED AS MILK CONTROL BILL REACHES LEGISLATURE

Control of Prices Shown in Pact Between Twelve Dairies in Vancouver

MAYOR SENDS COPY TO COMBINES OFFICIALS

"Extraordinary" Provisions of Undertaking Read to Agriculture Committee

Startling revelations were made before the committee on agriculture at the Parliament Buildings yesterday respecting the milk merger in Vancouver last September, which later developed into the Associated Dairies Ltd. These are being followed up, it was announced last night by Mayor L. D. Taylor, and a full copy of the agreement signed between twelve Vancouver dairies is being forwarded under registered mail to Hon. Gideon Robertson, Minister of Labor, in support of His Worship's complaint that a monopoly exists within the meaning of the Combines Act.

Points stressed by J. B. Williams, Vancouver city solicitor, before the committee were:

That the common shares of the amalgamation have a considerable potential value, despite assertions to the contrary;

That the majority of the board of directors can remove from office any director on the grounds that his hostility is prejudicial to the interests of the company;

PRICES MAINTAINED

That there exists an agreement not to reduce the price of milk unless such reduction is a vital necessity;

That the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association is bound to sell fluid milk or cream to no other than the amalgamation;

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Attacks The Colonist for Attitude on Bill

W. L. MACKEN, director of the Associated Dairies, Limited, and father of the principles of the milk control bill now before the committee of agriculture of the Legislature, said on the witness stand that The Daily Colonist was dictated by an editorial policy fit only for the Dark Ages.

The reasons why Mr. Macken was annoyed with The Colonist are:

That The Colonist opposes the vicious principles of the legislation which Mr. Macken fathered.

The Colonist claims that British Columbia citizens should have the right to do business with the city of Vancouver, irrespective of whether or not they reside within a twenty-five mile circle of Granville Street and Broadway, Vancouver, which area the milk interests have claimed for their own.

The Colonist, despite denial by Mr. Macken, reiterates that the possible effect of the legislation that Mr. Macken wants would be to set up a tariff wall about the city of Vancouver for those who would do business in milk, cream, butter, cheese, ice cream, evaporated milk or powdered milk within the sacred circle. This is set out in the definitions in the bill of "manufactured products," "dairy farmer," "distributor" and "producer-vendor." In not one of such definitions are the powers of the measure restricted to those carrying on such businesses or occupations within the committee district.

The Colonist is opposed to foisting upon the backs of 300,000 consumers experimental compulsory legislation that has not been tried out in any other part of the world, especially when the subject of such legislation is food.

The Colonist particularly objects when that legislation is designed not alone for the immediate neighborhood of the group seeking it, but covers the whole of the Province of British Columbia.

The Colonist objects to the principle of robbing a man, by legislation, of the fruits of his industry, investment and toil to give to any group of individuals.

For the foregoing and similar reasons Mr. Macken does not like The Colonist. He says that this policy is of the Dark Ages. The policy that Mr. Macken asks to be adopted is in effect that of the feudal system where overlords claimed unearned money from unfortunate persons within their power.

Fraser Valley Interests Win First Test in Legislature by Big Vote

LOUTET BILL TO GO BACK TO COMMITTEE

Government Joins With Liberals to Sidetrack North Vancouver Member

The proponents of further milk control legislation won their first victory in the Legislature, when, on the first division on the subject the amendment of J. W. Berry to send the amendment of Jack Loutet, for repeal of the Dairy Sales Adjustment Act, to the Committee on Agriculture. The entire Government voted with the Opposition, which effectively sidetracks the Loutet bill and gives precedence to the milk control amendments which were previously blocked by the Loutet motion. The vote stood 39 to 9, seven Conservatives, including two of the Victoria members, H. D. Twigg and J. H. Beatty, supporting the right of way of the repeal measure.

Two Vancouver members only supported the efforts of Mayor L. D. Taylor, who has, in the committee and outside of the House, been waging strenuous war on the amendments. They were William Dick and George A. Walkem, Jack Cornett, South Vancouver, also stood with the doughty eight, while Tom Uphill (Labor), W. R. Rutledge (Burnaby), and John Michell (Kamloops) supported Mr. Loutet.

Messrs. Carson, Mackenzie, Fitzsimmons, Hanna, Pearson, MacPherson, Gillis, Kingston, Berry, Kirk, Wrinch, Sutherland, Pattullo, A. M. Manson, Buckham, Alward, Heggie, Spencer, Maitland, Howe, Jones, Premier Tolmie, Pooley, MacNaughton, M. Manson, Schofield, Shelly, Bruhn, Atkinson, Lougheed, and W. A. McKenzie voted for the reference to committee, which was proposed by J. W. Berry, member for Delta.

COERSION AT WORST

W. A. Rutledge (Conservative), Burnaby, said he predicted the dairy control measure would cause a hardship at the time it was passed. His predictions had been verified, he said. "It has been proved beyond a doubt that this is coercion of the very worst kind," he asserted.

The act had not worked satisfactorily for the majority of the people, the member for Burnaby continued, and Vancouver citizens were strongly opposed to the measure. "This thing will be all over British Columbia unless it is stopped," he concluded.

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FORTY REBELS SLAIN IN PERU

Loyal Troops Crush Revolt by Regiment—Lima Again Under Martial Law

LIMA, Peru, March 24 (AP).—After a brief period of peace, Lima was again under martial law tonight after loyal troops had put down a revolt of part of the 5th Infantry Regiment late last night by directing cannon fire against the Santa Catalina Barracks. Some forty or more rebels were killed.

The surprise uprising, which followed establishment of peace under the new junta, headed by Lieutenant-Colonel David Samanese Ocampo, lasted four hours. The insurgents attempted to storm the palace. A number of persons were arrested.

PURPOSE OF REBELLION

While the purpose of the new rebellion was not announced, there were numerous reports as to its aim. Some say the revolters claim not to have received their pay, while others connect the movement with activities of suporters of Augusto B. Leguia, overthrown as president last Fall.

Another report is that the uprising had Communistic connection. Communistic pamphlets were found in the possession of several soldiers who participated.

TROUBLE AT CALLAO

In announcing that all strength at hand would be used in punishing attempts at disturbances, the Government decree stated that trouble existed also at Callao.

Lieutenant-Colonel Gustavo Jimenes, Minister of War, who paved the way for the provisional presidency of Samanez Ocampo by overthrowing the Government of Judge Ricardo Elias and himself heading a junta, took an active part in putting down the newest revolt.

$200,000 DAMAGES CAUSED BY FLAMES AT N.Y. RESIDENCE

ROSLYN, N.Y., March 24 (AP).—Damages estimated by fire department officials at $200,000 were caused by flames, which today swept from the second floor to the roof the Summer home of John D. Ryan, chairman of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company.

Much of the furniture, which was not destroyed, was badly damaged. Large portions of valuable wood paneling also were damaged. Several pieces of sculpture and a hand carved English sleigh were taken from the great hall and piled high with furniture and clothing in the yard.

British Collier Runs On Portugal Rocks; Report Crew Saved

OPORTO, Portugal, March 24 (AP).—The British collier Rucking, out of Newcastle, went on the rocks near here tonight. The crew was saved but the ship, it was feared, is a total loss.

200 Claims Are Staked In Alberta

EDMONTON, March 24 (CP).—With 120 claims staked on Monday and eighty more today, the platinum rush into Sullivan Creek, 170 miles west of Edmonton, is growing.

No samples have come out of the strike area yet for assay at the University of Alberta, but unofficial estimates by those having knowledge or ore at the strike centre place the value as high as $1,100 per ton.

Dr. J. A. Allan, head of the Department of Geology at the University of Alberta, is inclined to doubt the value of the find until he sees samples, declaring that while there are platinum traces in the area it is unlikely there has been concentration of the mineral to that extent.

BODY OF MISSING BOY DISCOVERED

Nine-Year-Old Donald Parslow Thrown to His Death When Bow River Ice Breaks

CALGARY, March 24 (CP). — Search of 1,000 men, women and children, police officials and firemen, ended today with the finding of the body of nine-year-old Donald Parslow, in Bow River, close to the spot where he was last seen by playmates.

A pathetic appeal from Vernon Parslow, father of the youngster, for the assistance of firemen in dragging the river brought discovery of the little body after search by land and air had failed.

Missing from his home since early Saturday afternoon, police, bloodhounds and airplanes had been used while hundreds of citizens had joined the father in the hunt across the brush country of the foothills adjacent to the river.

Playing on the treacherous Bow ice, Donald had been thrown to his death when the thin coating broke. His body was found by the firemen in four feet of water.

EARTHQUAKES ALARM AUSTRIAN VILLAGES

VIENNA, March 24 (AP).—Earthquakes felt at about 2:30 a.m., both yesterday and today, have alarmed a number of villages in the Tyrol district.

CUSTOMS UNION IS DENOUNCED

New Austro-German Commercial Treaty Proves Unacceptable to France

PARIS, March 24 (AP).—Denunciation of the commercial treaty with Germany and a decision to abstain from all financial aid constitutes the possible policy of France toward Germany if she persists in carrying out an economic pact with Austria, the Associated Press was informed tonight in official quarters.

Inquiry among diplomats accredited to France shows a prevalence of belief that the Austro-German move is one of the most important political developments since the Great War, embodying a possible attempt to form a central European block of powers just as the naval accord between France and Italy had given optimistic conviction that the war clouds of Europe had been dissipated.

RESOLUTE PROTEST

It is now admitted the French representation to Vienna has taken the form of a resolute though "friendly" protest, and it was learned that at yesterday's meeting the French Cabinet judged the affair so portentially grave it devoted the entire session to the question.

After receiving detailed reports of the nature of the Austro-German agreement, which is generally regarded as the first stage of a political union, France has decided, this correspondent was informed, the agreement is entirely unacceptable.

CONSULT OTHER POWERS

What concrete steps will be taken in further protestation will be elaborated after consultation with other powers, including especially Great Britain, with those Foreign Minister Aristide Briand has now begun to exchange views.

King of Spain Returns From Visit to London

MADRID, March 24 (AP).—King Alfonso returned to Madrid today from a visit to the bedside of his mother-in-law, the Princess Beatrice of England.

Among those greeting him were members of the royal family, the Cabinet and personal friends.

COULD NOT RUN PEANUT STAND

Saskatchewan Member Tells House Bolshevists in West Are Few

OTTAWA, March 24 (CP).—Not enough Bolshevists could be found in Western Canada to run a peanut stand, the House of Commons was told in the course of debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech From the Throne today.

W. D. Cowan, Conservative Member for Long Lake, Sask., who made this remark, was discussing the Canadian system of banking and its operation in the West. He felt that Canadian banks were not sufficiently willing to lend money to the Western farmer even when good security was available.

The principle that all Members of the House were really protectionists was laid down by Samuel Gobeil, Conservative Member for the Quebec constituency of Compton.

ALL PROTECTIONISTS

"We all know that every Member on the Liberal side of the House from Quebec, Ontario and the Maritime Provinces is protectionist," asserted Mr. Gobeil; then, indicating the U.F.A. and Progressive seats, he went on: "The gentlemen in the far corner are also protectionists. When they ask for a minimum price for their wheat, what is that but protection? When they ask for reduced freight rates to bring coal to the central provinces, is not that protection? When Members from the Maritime Provinces ask for reduced freight rates on their products, is not that protection?"

OPINIONS DIFFER

Tariff increases had failed to produce increased work in his constituency, Alphonse Fournier, Liberal Member for Hull, informed the House in later discussion.

A different condition was described by C. N. Dorion, Conservative Member for Quebec-Montmorency, who referred to increased textile operations in his constituency following in the wake of tariff increases.

Officers Dust Disrobed Doukhobors With Itching Powder; Melee Results

NELSON, March 24.—With the arrival of Spring, members of the Sons of Freedom Doukhobor sect have taken to relieving themselves of their Winter clothing. Reports of Doukhobors disrobing in the vicinity of Thrums on Monday resulted in police investigation this afternoon. Staff-Sergeant Stephenson and two provincial constables came across seven naked Doukhobor women perched on fences at Thrums near the highway and close to the railway.

The police ordered the women to seek shelter and don their clothing, but they resisted the officers. A melee ensued in which the officers dusted the women with itch powder. Several male onlookers, also Doukhobors, did not take part, but one did bring up aid for the women in the shape of garden hose. The women in their battle with the officers applied water from a standpipe on the officers. Finally, after much dusting of itch powder and by force the women were sent into their homes.

Police were today investigating reports that in the vicinity of Thrums, Doukhobors, both men and women, were working in their gardens while in the nude. They are on their own property and are isolated.

Governor-Designate Receives High Honor

LONDON, March 24 (CP).—The King today invested the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General-designate of Canada, with the insignia of the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George.

TO SERVE SIX MONTHS IN JAIL

F. J. Sweeney Sentenced for Forgery After Pleading Guilty in Police Court

Changing his plea from not guilty to guilty, Francis Joseph Sweeney, twenty-one, of Saint John, N.B., was sentenced to six months' imprisonment by acting Magistrate C. J. Prior in the city police court, yesterday morning, on a charge of forgery.

The offence for which Sweeney was sentenced here was cashing at a local hotel a cheque for $65, purporting to be signed by the "London Ladies' Whitewear, Limited." The accused registered at the hotel as C. B. Jackson and had a commercial traveler's certificate bearing that name.

Sweeney told the court how he left his wife of three months after making his first misstep.

BAD INVESTMENT

He was married on October 8, last year, he said, and had a little money saved at that time. Acting on the advice of a bond agent, Sweeney said he invested some of his money, at the same time telling the agent that he would need the money in January to meet certain obligations. The company, with whom the money was invested, failed, the accused stated.

"The first note I had to meet fell due on January 17. I left my home in a panic. One thing led to another. I started cashing these cheques. I don't know how I got away with it," he went on.

"Where did you get the rubber stamp of the London Ladies' Whitewear, Limited?" asked the magistrate.

"I picked it up in the office of the company in Montreal. I was to work for them, but, somehow, it didn't materialize."

"Why did you come to Victoria?" the court asked.

"For no reason at all. I couldn't see my way clear to go home," replied Sweeney.

"You've been very foolish—starting on a bad career," the magistrate said.

IT CAME EASY

"I married a girl of wealthy family. Then circumstances came the way they did, and I was forced to do something. When I cashed the first cheque, I did not intend to go further, but it came so easy."

In passing sentence, acting Magistrate Prior stated he would take into consideration the fact that the accused was a young man and it was his first offence.

Police here say that Sweeney is wanted by the police at Regina to face a similar charge.

Walter—"I got into trouble with teacher this morning."

Bill—"How?"

Walter—"He said all questions could be answered yes or no, and asked anybody to put a question to him; so I said: 'Have you stopped using bad language?'"

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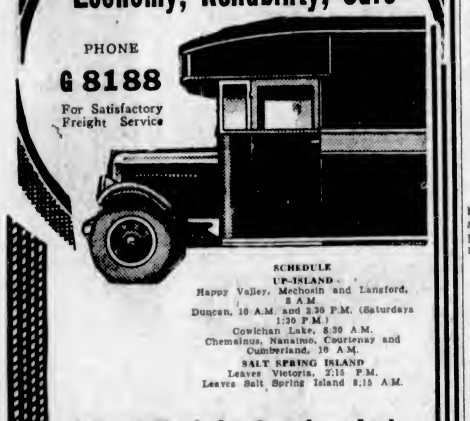

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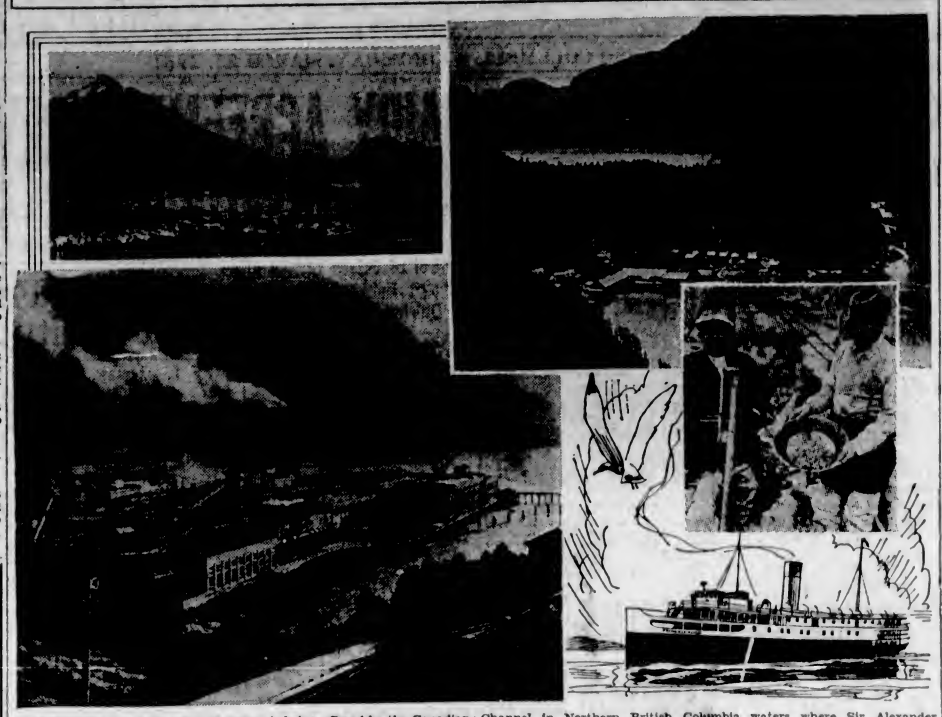

SOMETHING new in the way of cruises is being offered by the Canadian Pacific British Columbia Coast Steamship Service in August, when Ss. Princess Alice will cruise for twelve days through sheltered coastal waters along the British Columbia and Alaska Coasts, steaming leisurely into out-of-the-way spots far off regular steamer lanes. Specially designed as an educational tour, competent guides will take passengers through salmon canneries, fish oil production plants, vast paper mills, gold quartz mining and copper smelting plants along the storied "Trail of '98."

Points of historical interest will include Mackenzie Rock on Dean Channel in Northern British Columbia waters where Sir Alexander Mackenzie, after crossing Canada by land in 1793 caught his first glimpse of the Pacific Ocean; Skagway, hard-boiled centre of the famous gold rush, and Sitka (pictured above, upper left), on Baranof Island, the old Russian capital of Alaska in the days when the Czars owned and administered the Land of the Midnight Sun.

In the above photos are illustrated, upper right, a British Columbia salmon cannery at Butedale; upper left, Sitka, old Russian capital of Alaska; lower left, a paper mill at Ocean Falls, and lower right, old-time sourdoughs panning gold along the Alaska Coast.

MAYOR SENDS COPY TO COMBINES OFFICIALS

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That by agreement the city of Greater Vancouver includes a circle with a radius of twenty-five miles from the corner of Broadway and Granville Streets;

That one milk distributor was paid to obtain the consent of his firm to keep out of the distribution business for a period of years, and will receive $10,000 in the event of obtaining a like agreement for a further period.

Mr. Williams, in supporting his contention that common stock of the Associated Dairies Ltd. had a real value, quoted from Clause 13 of the agreement entered into by the twelve dairies just prior to the formation of the Associated. He then went on to point out some of the outstanding features of the agreement.

Clause 16 read: "A quorum shall be a majority of the directors and a majority of the directors for the time being shall be entitled at any time and from time to time, by a resolution at a meeting duly convened and held, to remove from office any director whom such a majority may consider hostile to the interests of the amalgamated company, and in every such case a new director forthwith shall be elected by the party entitled to nominate and elect such director whose removal has caused a vacancy in the board of directors. . . ."

NO REDUCTIONS

The provision in the agreement between the distributors who, it was stated, control all but a very small portion of the milk of Vancouver, regarding prices reads as follows:

Clause 18 — "The F.V.M.P.A. (Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association) agree with each of the other distributors to continue to supply to the amalgamated company, exclusively, such milk and cream production by it as in the opinion of the amalgamated company shall be required to satisfy the requirements of the trade in the city of Greater Vancouver, and the amalgamated company shall purchase from the F.V.M.P.A. all of its requirements for such trade.

"Provided, however, and it is hereby agreed by and between the parties hereto, that the retail price of milk shall not be reduced below nine quarts for a dollar unless it is in the vital interests of the amalgamated company and the producers of milk that such reduction be made."

The attention of the committee was called to the fact that, while practically every other food on the retail list had been reduced, no reduction had been made in the price of milk in Vancouver.

CONTROLLED SUPPLY

The city solicitor for Vancouver went on to read further from the same clause, pointing out that there existed a hard and fast agreement covering milk, not only of prices but of supply:

"The F.V.M.P.A. agree not to sell any of its fluid milk or cream to any other person, firm or corporation of milk distributors in the city of Greater Vancouver; provided, however, the amalgamated company may, with the consent of the F.V.M.P.A. purchase milk and cream from producers operating in the T.B.-free area of the Lower Mainland who are now supplying milk to many distributors. Any milk so purchased shall be at the pool price of the F.V.M.P.A. members, and the difference, if any, between the price paid to the F.V.M.P.A. and the said pool price shall be paid to the F.V.M.P.A."

Clause 19 sets out, Mr. Williams explained that the "city of Greater Vancouver should constitute "the entire area with a radius of twenty-five miles from the northeast corner of Broadway and Granville Streets, in the city of Vancouver." This area includes not only Vancouver, North Vancouver, West Vancouver, Burnaby, Port Moody, New Westminster and Ioco, but extends up the Fraser Valley as far as Hammond, down beyond the international boundary, including the Summer resort centres of Whiterock and Crescent, and Ladner; up Howe Sound as far as Britannia Beach; takes in Bowen Island, Gambier Island, Gibson's Landing, Gower Point and other permanent and Summer settlements along Howe Sound. It almost reaches across the waters of the gulf to the Gulf Islands.

COMPETITION BLOCKED

The activities, present and future, of those who entered into the amalgamation are set out in Clause 20, which binds them to not "directly, or directly carry on, or be engaged in or be associated with as principals, partners or servants, the business of distributing milk, or any business of a nature competitive with the business of the amalgamated company in the area of the city of Greater Vancouver for the term of ten years."

It was in connection with this clause, said Mr. Williams, that payment had been made to one man, and it had been further agreed that if the period of his retirement from the milk trade and that of his company continued a further sum of $10,000 would be paid to him.

MUST MAKE GIFT

Another clause which the Vancouver city solicitor termed to be "most extraordinary" read:

Clause 24—Any milk distributor ceasing to hold 75,000 Class "A" shares, the certificate representing Class "B" shares of such milk distributor shall be forthwith, on receipt of the written request of the board of directors, be endrosed in blank and surrendered by way of gift to the amalgamated company to be canceled, and may subsequently be reallocated to such other person or persons as the directors may, in their discretion, determine.

The whole text of the entire agreement is being forwarded today by Mayor Taylor to Ottawa with the request that immediate action be taken to investigate the merger of milk companies, with such appropriate measures as the circumstances seem to warrant.

FOR CONSUMERS

"My position," said the Mayor last night, "is that I am fighting for the consumers. I am fighting for the right of the public to transact its business without hindrance and under the supervision of the health regulations as laid down.

"It has been stated that the year of operation of the Dairy Sales Adjustment Act has increased the returns to the producers by $500,000. That money must have come out of somebody's pocket. It was taken from milk and cream. Now the request is for butter, cheese, ice cream and condensed milk and milk powder to come under the operation of the act. Who is going to do the paying? There is no agreement, such as William Dick got two years ago, to protect the consumer in regard to these commodities.

"I speak for the consumer, and I say we are going to fight to the bitter end."

LOUTET BILL TO GO BACK TO COMMITTEE

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J. W. Cornett (Conservative), South Vancouver, said the act was "vicious" and should be repealed.

G. A. Walkem (Conservative), Vancouver, said the public was becoming more and more confused in its efforts to get milk "from the cow." There were new grades and conditions of milk, and none of it as good as the old-fashioned milk from a dairy farm, he asserted. He was opposed to the act in the first place. "As soon as we get all this kind of legislation off the statute books, the saner we will be," he concluded.

J. R. Michell (Conservative), Kamloops, said briefly he was opposed to the bill, and represented a constituency very much of that mind.

OBJECTS TO PRINCIPLE

Dr. R. W. Alward (Conservative), Fort George, asserted his objection to compulsion of the order set up in the Dairy Products Sales Adjustment Act. He believed, however, that proponents of milk control should have an opportunity of putting their views before the House. For that reason only, he would not favor killing discussion by passing the repeal motion, he said.

A. M. Manson, K.C. (Liberal), Omineca, criticized the Loutet motion to repeal the law as a move to short-circuit the deliberations of the committee on agriculture.

Eleven members composing the committee had labored long and hard to hear all sides of the issue, and its recommendation should be sought, Mr. Manson commented.

James Fitzsimmons (Conservative), Cariboo, said he favored a reference to the committee that had been dealing with the milk question.

WANTED A WAR

Vancouver wanted a "price war," asserted George S. Pearson (Liberal), Nanaimo. Uncurbed competition was a curse, and always paid for in the end by the consumer. He wished to hear more about the whole issue, he said.

BROUGHT BEFORE HOUSE

Two moves brought the Fraser Valley milk war squarely before the Legislature. The first was a motion by J. A. Loutet (Conservative), North Vancouver, to give second reading to a bill to repeal the Dairy Products Sales Adjustment Act, and the other an amendment by J. W. Berry (Conservative), Delta, to refer the proposed amendments increasing the strength of the dairy products law to the select committee on agriculture for report. William Dick (Conservative), Vancouver, seconded the Loutet motion, and Dr. J. J. Gillis (Liberal), Yale, the Berry amendment.

At the outset the Berry amendment was challenged, but ruled in order by Mr. Speaker Davie. The debate continued alternately on both motion and amendment.

Mr. Loutet said he was of the opinion that the Dairy Products Sales Adjustment Act, and its proposed amendments, were against the ruling of the Supreme Court of Canada, which recently decided the fate of the Produce Marketing Act. Unless the amendments were brought in as a Government measure, it would be unjust to expect the ministry to accept the responsibility for the results that would follow. The levies now imposed by the milk control committee were in cases not paid, and more vigorous objection would doubtless be raised to the more stringent terms of the proposed amendments.

COMPLAINS OF SPREAD

The dairy products law left it to the committee of control to arrange much of the spread between the price paid by the consumer and the money received by the producer of milk. There was a vast difference, he said, between the fifty-six cents a pound butterfat received by the farmer and the $1.35 paid by the consumer for the same quantity, and only a relatively small proportion of this difference could be satisfactorily explained away on the ground of distribution costs. There was a spread of eighty-four cents between the two prices, and this was entirely out of proportion to that obtaining in other commodities, Mr. Loutet continued.

Mr. Loutet referred to the capital structure of the Associated Dairies, Limited, and said that a very large capital structure appeared to have been set up to handle such a business. The chairman of the milk control committee had taken sides in the issue and had stated Vancouver City was "butting in." He would say it was time to make representations when it was obvious that a huge merger had been set in motion, and the will of the minority stood in danger of being crushed out.

Mr. Justice Duff, in his recent judgment, had referred to similar suppression of minorities and had sounded a warning note against all such legislation, he continued.

The member for North Vancouver asked if the law of the land was to enforce pooling of the profits of milk production where was the pooling epidemic to stop? Was it reasonable to expect milk producers to stand for such legislation, when it would not be countenanced for a moment by logging and other industries?

THE CROSSROADS

"Either we are going to make a decision to perpetuate an injustice or a fresh start with a clean slate," continued Mr. Loutet. "For fourteen years the milk producers did very well without all this nonsense. In the fifteenth year they may have made a little more money, but it was at the expense of somebody else, and there are many producers who say they cannot continue in business if this law remains on the statute books of this province."

If the dairy products law was continued and its terms made still more rigid, Vancouver was going to see milk selling at seven quarts for a dollar and not less, he averred. Mr. Loutet moved second reading of the bill to repeal the act.

Mr. Dick, seconding the motion, said he had voted for milk control three years ago on the understanding that there would be no price increase or decrease in quality to Vancouver consumers inside five years. Prices had been raised on some restaurants, he asserted, though the price to the consuming public had not been changed or the quality of the milk altered enough to admit of serious complaint. Vancouver wished to see prosperity in the Fraser Valley, but if it was to be slapped in the face it would slap back, he said.

QUESTIONS BACKING

"The Associated Dairies were incorporated at $5,000,000, and when they get all the farmers under the tent, we fear that they will have the money, and the farmers will have the experience," Mr. Dick continued. "If a secret vote could be taken in the Fraser Valley today, I question if many would vote for this plan." Mr. Dick read an affidavit which he said was from a returned soldier-farmer at Westbank. This showed, he asserted, that the man, who had originally shipped milk to Vancouver on a successful basis on the C.N.R. line, had to buy a truck to continue the service when the milk train was taken off, and had been submitted to a certain amount of interference in his business.

In regard to the adjustment committee, the same man complained that he was levied on to the extent of $450 for the privilege of supplying milk in the Vancouver market.

"Mr. Speaker, are we moved to Russia, that conditions like this can continue?" Mr. Dick asked. "Under the circumstances it looks very much as if we have a little Soviet in the Fraser Valley.

TIMELY WARNING

Sanford Evans, he continued, had warned the Province not to interfere with the law of supply and demand. Mr. Evans had predicted the mistake in connection with Canada's wheat last year, and if he had been listened to at that time, it would have saved the country $100,000,000. Efforts to control silver, rubber, sugar, coffee and other articles had all fallen into discard. It was time to take a lesson from the wheat debacle, and not to kill the goose that laid the eggs, he continued.

Mr. Dick asserted high salaries were paid for the distribution and regulation of milk. One man received $8,000 per annum; four others, $5,000 each, and one, $4,000 a year, or a total of $32,000. This money had to be found by the farmer, and the small farmer particularly. There was plenty of room in the dairy business for all who were in it, he submitted, and little or nothing had been done to correct the position where British Columbia imported two-thirds of its butter requirements annually.

CHARGES INACCURACY

Mr. Berry said the arguments advanced to the House were inaccurate. As to returned soldiers, the boast of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers was that it had 500 returned men in its ranks. The trouble was that two gallons of milk were being produced for every gallon that could be consumed in its unmanufactured state, and some means had to be devised to take care of the surplus.

The proper course for the Legislature to take, he asserted, was to end the debate on the repeal bill, and refer the proposed bill to amend the Dairy Products Sales Adjustment Act formally to the committee on agriculture. This committee, he said, was thoroughly seized with the facts, and could bring in its report in very short order. Seconded by Dr. Gillis, Mr. Berry moved to that effect.

OPPOSED TO CONTROL

Capt. M. F. Macintosh (Conservative), The Islands, said he was opposed to the Dairy Products Sales Adjustment Act and its proposed amendments, for the reason that the continued operation of the law would create many injustices in outlying districts shipping part of their dairy products to Vancouver. Salt Spring Island was such a district, and manufactured two-thirds of its milk into butter for the Victoria market, shipping the remaining third to Vancouver as sweet cream. He had been informed that Salt Spring Island cream would be taxed anywhere up to twenty-five cents a pound butterfat if it continued to enter the Vancouver market.

Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C., opposed repeal of the Dairy Products law on the ground that the Legislature brought it into effect three years ago, and should not repeal its own act. In any event he would wait until he saw the proposed amendments before the House, he stated.

OPPOSES MEASURE

H. D. Twigg (Conservative), Victoria, said the House and not the committee on agriculture should deal with the matter. He had been opposed to the principle of the coercion of minorities from the start, and would continue to oppose the control measure. "In the old days, if a man did not like the milk he was getting, he merely went to another dairy," observed Mr. Twigg. "It is now suggested that all the milk come out of one spout, so that the farmer who cannot make a profit can share some of the profit of the farmer who can. If a farmer is unable to make a success of his business, by himself, he should not be in that particular business, that is all."

W. R. Rutledge (Conservative), Burnaby, adjourned debate on the matter.

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Attempt Is to Be Made to Ascertain How Far Salmon Are Being Destroyed

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The attempt will be made this Summer to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion as to how far the fur seals which frequent the Coast prey upon the commercial salmon. The investigations will be carried out by the co-operation of the fisheries and the Indian departments of the Federal Government.

Since the first of the year there has been correspondence passing on the subject between Col. J. A. Motherwell, chief inspector of fisheries, and W. E. Ditchburn, commissioner of Indian affairs.

Mr. Ditchburn is arranging for taking the stomachs from fifty seals by the Indians, who, under the sealing treaty, are privileged to take these animals. These will likely be taken off Ucluelet. The Indians will be fully instructed in the matter by E. E. Frost, the Indian agent, and will carry out their work under the supervision of Inspector McLeod, of the fisheries department.

Provision will be made to have the stomachs secured at a time when the salmon are running on the Coast. The Indians will be paid $5 each for these and they will be placed in receptacles with formalin preparatory to being shipped for examination by the biological department, under Dr. Clemens.

There have been many complaints that the fur seal is exceedingly destructive to salmon. It is hoped, by the means adopted, to arrive at a conclusion with regard to the matter.

OXFORD EXPEDITION TO EXPLORE IN CANADA

OTTAWA, March 24 (CP).—A number of expeditions will invade the Northwest Territories this Summer, but of these the most important will be that of the Oxford University Exploration Club. Under the direction of H. M. Clutterbuck, of the Oxford University Museum, the party, comprising scientists and students, will proceed to Akpatok Island in Ungava Bay, to carry out researches in geology, botany and zoology. The expedition will be similar to that sponsored by the Club of Spitzbergen some years ago.

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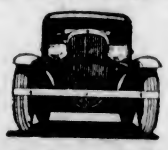

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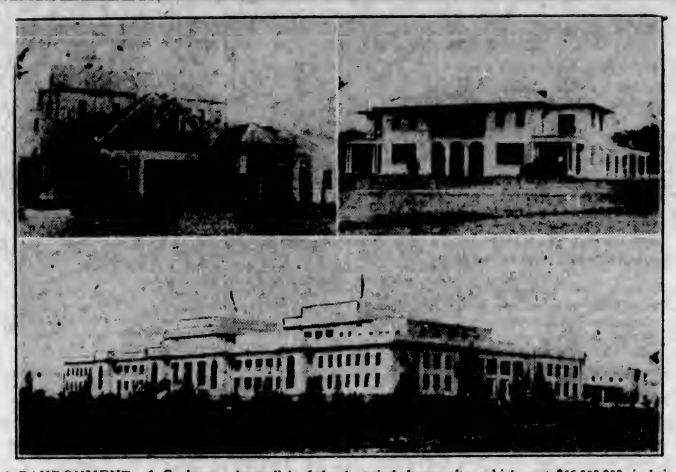

ABANDONMENT of Canberra, Australia's federal capital dream city, which cost $66,000,000, is being urged by many leaders in public life, and business men. If these leaders have their way, it would be returned to the sheep which once grazed on its broad acres, as it is isolated and its maintenance is costly. Its roads, gardens, public buildings, hotels and homes are the best in Australia, but because the city was designed eventually to accommodate a big population, its buildings are scattered over 900 acres. The pictures above show: Top, left to right, the home of the Governor-General and the Prime Minister's home. Below is a view of the temporary Parliament Building, which was erected at a cost of $3,500,000.

CLASSES WILL EXHIBIT WORK

Prizes Donated by Canadian Manufacturers' Ass'n to Be Presented

An exhibition of work by the evening technical classes of the Victoria High School and Boys' Central School will be held tomorrow, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:45 p.m. At 8:15 p.m., in the technical school, Mr. Izard, of Yarrows Limited, and chairman of the metal trades section, will present prizes on behalf of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Two awards will be made to the machine shop and three to the machine drawing class.

On the third floor and in the basement of the High School there will be exhibits of dressmaking, architectural drawing, commercial work, lettering, life class drawing, fine arts and pottery.

In the technical school, situated in the Boys' Central grounds, will be shown machine drawing, metal work, woodwork, domestic science and elementary art.

The home nursing class met last Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital, where its members were addressed by Miss Thornley, of the V.O.N.

BILLS PROGRESS IN LEGISLATURE

Nine Receive Final Approval —Two New Measures Are Introduced

Seventeen bills were dealt with by the Legislature yesterday afternoon, nine receiving final approval and awaiting assent of His Honor the Administrator, and the others advanced a stage in their course. Two new bills were introduced.

All measures finally passed concern amendments to existing acts, including the Boiler Inspection, Deserted Wives' Maintenance, Absconding Debtors, County Courts, Execution, Assignment of Book Accounts, Co-operative Associations, Security Frauds Acts; and act to remove the Disqualifications on Account of Sex, the bill of equal rights for women. All measures have been explained previously, and were ratified on third reading.

SECOND READING

Second reading was given to a bill to provide for the winding up of the Produce Marketing Act committees on fruit, potatoes, small fruits and other bodies operating under that law. Amendments to the Highway Act, to permit of appropriation of up to 100 feet for highways, and to adjust common carrier insurance clauses, was also read a second time.

Like course was followed, after debate, with a bill to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act, by substituting the accident fund for the consolidated revenue fund as the fund to meet an item for $16,500 in connection with the operation of the law. This was putting additional cost of the scheme on to industry, the Opposition declared. It was relieving the people of part of the cost of the scheme, the Government replied.

DENTISTRY ACT

The much-discussed bill to amend the Dentistry Act received second reading without debate, on motion by James H. Beatty (Conservative), Victoria, who is piloting the bill in the House.

Minor amendments to the Small Debts Courts Act were reported complete in committee without debate.

New bills introduced included one to amend the Old Age Pensions Act, laid before the House by Hon. R. H. Pooley, K.C.; and amendments to the Public Schools Act, introduced by Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe. Each received first reading without discussion.

TAX RATE SET AT SIXTY-ONE MILLS

WEST VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—Rate of taxation in this municipality for 1931 was set at sixty-one mills at a meeting of the council Monday night. This is the third year this rate has been struck. There is no tax on improvements, the entire levy being on land assessment.

An auctioneer gave a dinner recently to his regular customers. His nodding acquaintances.

CONSERVATIVES WILL MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

Ward Four Saanich Conservatives will hold a meeting tomorrow evening in Colquitz Hall, when an endeavor will be made to sense the feeling in the locality of some of the outstanding problems of the day.

It is thought that a frank discussion among members and friends may clarify misunderstandings on certain questions, and will also provide an opportunity to interpret local feeling, in order that, if necessary, helpful suggestions may be forwarded to the proper quarters.

In addition to discussing the appointment of commissioners, a report will be given by the secretary showing the result of the successful dance held recently at Marigold. A large attendance of members and their friends is expected to be present.

Saanich Voters Are Urged to Register

Voters in the Saanich electoral district are reminded that the lists close on April 4. Those who have not yet registered can do so at the office of the registrar, J. G. Dobbs, Gordon Head Road (telephone Albion 12X) or at the office of Messrs. Wallace & Archer, 1239 Broad Street, or with any authorized election commissioner in the different districts. Those who are British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and who have resided in British Columbia for six months and in the district for one month, are eligible to have their names put on the list. Those who have changed their address must get their new address registered.

RECONSIDER TAXING PLAN

Vancouver's Waterfront Proposition Will Again Be Discussed in Committee

NARROWS BRIDGE BILL WILL COME UP

Vancouver's desire to have the right to assess lessees of Crown lands on the harbor front on the basis of the value of these lands will again be discussed by the private bills committee of the Legislature. The committee will meet this morning for that purpose.

The reconsideration of the subject is based in part upon the receiving of information that in Montreal the practice is not to so assess the waterfront. It was represented at the former hearings of the committee that Montreal followed the course of taxing as suggested.

It is expected that the Harbor Board of Vancouver will object to the giving of the right sought by the city of Vancouver in its proposed amendments to the charter of that city.

The private bills committee decided against recommending the granting of the right to tax as proposed by Vancouver. Later it reconsidered that decision and recommended that the city be given the right with certain provisos connected with the privilege. Now it is to come up for a third consideration.

Another bill that will be reconsidered will be that of the amendment to the First Narrows Bridge Company's Act. It has been represented to the committee that under the present shape in which the amendment bill stands there is danger that the company may be technically debarred from operating in any way.

These matters will be ironed out at the meeting of the committee this morning.

DAIRYMEN TO MEET

A meeting of the Victoria and Saanich Farm and Dairymen's Association will be held at Royal Oak Hall on Friday evening, March 27, at 8 o'clock. All members and others wishing to join are cordially invited to attend.

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METROPOLITAN MUSEUM GIVES NEW AUTHORSHIP TO FAMOUS PAINTING

NEW YORK, March 24.—Almost coincidentally with the statement by Dr. Maxmillian Toch, chemist, that most of the supposed Rembrandt paintings in the world are fakes, the Metropolitan Museum of Art has assigned a new authorship to "The Sibyl," until recently considered a work of the master.

The painting, depicting a meditative woman glancing up from a book, is assigned to Geraert Drost, a pupil of Rembrandt, in a recent listing by the museum. The change followed a cleaning given the picture.

Dr. Toch, who detects fake masterpieces with the aid of X-ray and chemicals, believes there are fewer than thirty genuine Rembrandts in the world.

LEASE GIVEN APPROVAL

VANCOUVER, March 23 (CP).—Granting of a lease of a hangar at the civic airport of the Western Canada Airways for a five-year period was approved this afternoon by the civic harbor utilities and airport committee. The company will pay the city $3,400 rent a year for the first two years, $3,500 for the second two years, and $3,600 for the fifth year.

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IMPERIUM IN IMPERIO

It appears that the Growers Sales Bill and the amendment to the Dairy Products Sales Act are to go before the Legislature without any recomendation from the agricultural committee. In other words, the Bills, if they reach the Legislature, must be considered by that body from their inception. That is the agricultural committee's way of acknowledging that it had no justifiable right, on the basis of constitutional usage, to deal with the Bills at all, since these Bills had never been committed by the Legislature. All the discussion on these radical measures has been under an anomalous condition. Its saving grace, however, has been the fact that the public have been informed of what is proposed. As a consequence public opinion, the biggest factor affecting any legislation, has aligned itself in opposition unalterably to the principles involved in both the measures in question.

The Growers Sales Bill and the amendment to the Dairy Products Sales Act are designed to arrogate to juntas within the agricultural industry almost unlimited powers of control over the districts affected. The powers are so sweeping in the amendment to the Dairy Products Sales Act that the whole process of distribution of milk products in the largest consuming area of the province can be ordained so as to suit the conveniences of an adjustment committee. In effect what both Bills propose is the setting up of imperium in imperio. They seek to have authority and powers which are inherent in the Crown vested in agricultural juntas who would not be responsible to the Government. The principles these measures would inculcate suggest a presumption that is almost unbelievable. It is the presumption that the Government and the Legislature will voluntarily abdicate their seat of authority and delegate their responsibilities in safeguarding the economic welfare of the people as a whole so that special interests may attempt to direct the law of supply and demand to inure to their own benefits.

It would be a travesty of government if either of the measures in dispute was passed in its present form. It is true that both are almost certainly ultra vires of the province. The point, however, is that the principles of good government, which their proponents seek to have violated, could only be acquiesced in by the Legislature if that body possesses a spineless appreciation of its own authority. That a committee of the Legislature should have permitted for weeks an unorthodox discussion of measures not yet before the Legislature is bad enough. That situation, however, has had the redeeming feature of consolidating public opinion. The Government and the Legislature have learned that the people of British Columbia do not want legislation which violates rudimentary economic principles.

The authorities, for the purpose of maintaining their own self-respect and asserting their inherent constitutional rights as defined under the British North America Act, should, as a matter of course, be relied upon to quash attempts by any special interests to secure delegated authority, such as is sought by propagandists now flooding the legislative corridors. The influences brought into play, because of the principles involved, should have been stemmed long ago. It is a time for the assertion of leadership so that the duties and responsibilities of a Legislature will be conserved, instead of, in any fashion, being rendered susceptible to an undermining process.

FOR PARK PURPOSES

All those interested in proposals that have been made from time to time for a beautification scheme for the Dallas Road waterfront property will welcome the announcement that Clover Point can now be included in this project. This piece of property, used for so long for rifle range purposes, has been given to the municipality by the Federal Government on a ninety-nine-year lease at the nominal rental of $1 a year. This landmark on the coastline offers possibilities of extensive development, particularly in connection with any general plan for waterfront improvements. The Dominion Government stipulates that the lease is given for park purposes. That is exactly what the citizens want it for, and the fact that it is now under municipal control will give an impetus to the movement for a development that could be made to mean much in the progress of Victoria.

The bulk of the credit for the lease of Clover Point to this municipality belongs to Mr. D. B. Plunkett. The city was asked at first by the Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., to raise the matter up with the Dominion Government. It was not, however, until the support of Mr. Plunkett was enlisted that the proposal was advanced. The local member promptly saw the value of the idea. He enlisted the attention of the responsible authorities at Ottawa. On the occasion of the visit here last Autumn of the Minister of Defence the matter was taken up anew, and in his representations Mr. Plunkett secured the support of Premier Tolmie and the city members in the Provincial Legislature. At that time the Minister of Defence acknowledged that he saw no obstacle in the way of the Clover Point property being placed under municipal control. He promised to bring about the transfer. Mr. Plunkett on his return to Ottawa a few weeks ago for the present Federal session resumed his plea, and the arrangement for the lease was made. It indicates the desire of the Dominion Government to promote development plans in this city, and is a feather in the cap of the local member, whose assiduity and persistency in any plan he takes up has, in this instances as heretofore, resulted in benefits for the constituency he represents.

EXCESSIVE TERMINAL EXPENDITURES

It will be a matter of satisfaction to the taxpayers throughout the Dominion that the Federal Government is intervening to ascertain if the huge expenditures in which the Canadian National Railway is engaged on terminal facilities in Montreal are devised for economic purposes. The Minister of Marine has asked the Harbor Board of Montreal to appoint a board of three engineers to make another investigation of the projected railway line in the East End of the city paralleling the waterfront. This is a part of the terminal system, but it has been attacked from many angles and by the residents of the West End, the Centre and the North End of Montreal. When Sir Frederick Palmer investigated the terminal he favored the North End loop as opposed to that at the East End. His findings are in possession of the C.N.R.

In addition to the decision to investigate anew the projected railway line in the East End of Montreal the Government has engaged the services of Sir Alexander Gibb, the world's greatest authority on port terminal facilities, who, among other duties, is to examine the harbor development work at Montreal. He is certain to discover the fact that the expenditure proposed by the C.N.R. at Montreal is altogether out of proportion to the economic results which will ensue, and doubtless he will report accordingly. His inquiries will not be invested with prejudice or subject to political partisanship.

The Montreal terminal facilities for the State-owned railway are estimated to cost $50,000,000. On the basis of the experience of most ventures of a similar character, in which the taxpayers' money is involved, that means the ultimate cost, if the present plans are adhered to, will probably be nearer $100,000,000. Such an expenditure, or even one greatly less at this time, is certain to prove unproductive of adequate returns. It is because of this and other ventures, where dividends cannot be earned, that greater supervision should be exercised over the expenditures of the Canadian National Railway. The Bennett Government realizes this and is acting accordingly.

The New York Evening Post says "the Canadians have inherited the system of British law in which the rights of the individual are paramount and in which the will of the average man is the basis of government. Their philosophy of politics has not yet been corrupted by the sort of sentimentalism which has left Great Britain hesitant in the face of flamboyant Soviet aggression. Their Order-in-Council frankly recognizes that the Russian Soviet is seeking to divide the world and to destroy the economic basis of Western civilization. Because of this conviction, and not from any concern about details of international trade, the Canadians have struck the most powerful blow yet aimed at Russian plans for a communized world."

Miss Rebecca West must have had certain trends of agricultural thought in British Columbia in mind when she said: "What is the matter with humanity is simply its mind, which has hardly moved in a hundred years from its old place in the jungle."

Dr. Albert Einstein says that "relativity has nothing to do with the soul; it is a matter only for the head." The doctrine, however, is about as unintelligible to the average man as is a definition of what the soul is.

A SPORTSMAN

He who takes a mean advantage in his business, game or sport,
Never can be called a sportsman; to his mind the word means nought.
Though he may be bold in risking, though he may be great in fame,
Not in centuries un-numbered could he earn that sacred name.

There's no gain in sport unsullied—none but sport itself, at least.
There's no loss but what is honored, save perhaps to bird or beast.
Hunt, then, for the sake of hunting, play your game for playing's sake;
Sport can never share in commerce—hence is gold no sporting stake.

Those who ride by, gay and cheerful; they who clean and neatly kill;
They who take good care, when hunting, not to flout the farmer's will;
They whose words are always courtly, and to fairness ever strive;
Earn the famous name of "sportsmen," and will keep their sport alive.

He who bears his troubles grinning, laughing at a losing hand;
He who runs or rides the hunt out, halting not while he can stand;
He who struggles gamely onward, undismayed when left behind,
Honor gains beyond all riches—sportsman, he, in deed and mind.

—W. G. Adam, in The Field.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., 8 p.m., March 24, 1931.

SYNOPSIS

A low pressure area is now centred over the Interior of this Province, and is causing unsettled, rainy, mild weather on the Coast. Snow is falling in Northern Alberta, also in Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	.05	43	49
Nanaimo	--	.04	42	46
Vancouver	--	.22	44	46
Kamloops	--	--	40	48
Prince George	--	.06	24	46
Estevan Point	--	.10	40	48
Prince Rupert	--	.12	36	46
Dawson	--	--	20	32
Seattle	--	.34	40	48
Portland	--	.86	40	54
San Francisco	--	.08	54	66
Spokane	--	Trace	32	50
Los Angeles	--	Trace	60	66
Penticton	--	--	29	56
Vernon	--	--	30	48
Grand Forks	--	--	28	51
Nelson	--	--	28	49
Cranbrook	--	--	24	58
Calgary	--	--	26	48
Edmonton	1.6	--	14	30
Swift Current	--	--	26	44
Prince Albert	--	--	18	20
Qu'Appelle	--	--	22	40
Winnipeg	Trace	--	16	28

TUESDAY

Maximum	49
Minimum	43
Average	46
Minimum on grass	39

General state of weather, cloudy.
Bright sunshine, 12 minutes.
Rain, .05.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.97; wind, SW., 32 miles; fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.94; wind, SW., 8 miles; fair.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.76; wind, E., 8 miles; fair.
Prince George—Barometer, 29.86; calm; fair.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.10; wind, SW.; fair.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.22; wind, N.W., 24 miles; fair.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.04; wind, NW., 34 miles; fair.
Portland—Barometer, 30.10; wind, NW., 12 miles; cloudy.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.00; wind, E., 6 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

"Find out the cause of this effect:
Or rather say, the cause of this defect,
For this effect defective comes by cause.
—Shakespeare.

"As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be," "man never is, but always to be blest." A year or two ago, when business was booming and everybody should have been happy, there was one fly in the ointment. That objectionable insect was the high cost of living. If the cost of living had not been so high, we should all have been on the high road to fortune. So the cost of living must be reduced, and in order to reduce the cost of living there was a demand for the appointment of commissions to find out what must be done to reduce the cost of living and to determine the sinister influences which had increased and were constantly increasing the cost of living.

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Commissions were appointed and made the usual reports, but the reports did not result in any decrease in the cost of living. Reports of commissions hardly ever have any material effect upon things commissions are appointed to report upon. The cost of living has gone down, and the agitators are no happier than they were when the cost of living was high, for the volume of business has gone down, too, and the prosperous conditions have been succeeded by an economic depression which covers the entire world. Today there is a general demand for the appointment of commissions to find out what has caused the depression.

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The reasons for the depression are palpable enough and may be safely stated without waiting for the report of any of the various commissions. There have been lean periods and fat periods in trade and industry since the beginning of recorded time. Business in these modern times should not be subject to such fluctuations if the men who conduct business were not subject to periodical aberrations of judgment and plunged into orgies of wild speculation. There is always a natural reaction after a fever of any kind. As the lawyers say, people must be held responsible for the natural consequences of their acts. Commissions are appointed in the hope that somebody else may be found responsible for the consequences of our acts.

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We suppose it is because British Columbia has felt the present depression less acutely than some other parts of Canada that no commission has yet been appointed in this province to determine what is the matter with business and who is responsible for whatever may be the matter with it. That is something for which we ought to be in some measure thankful. The Parliament of Canada is in session, and the Government which is in control of Parliament (at least, we trust the Government is in control of Parliament, for without being specific, under our system of responsible government, governments do not always seem to believe it is an essential part of that system that Governments should control Parliaments)—the Federal Government, then, is being bombarded with demands for the appointment of commissions to investigate and report upon the causes of the present depression. If the Government accedes to all the demands made upon it, the only result will be an increase in the cost of government and no increase in the prices of wheat or anything else, and the last condition of the producer will be worse than the first.

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There is depression today because there was frenzied speculation yesterday. The frenzied speculation of yesterday was not confined to any section of the people or to any section of the country. The people of British Columbia and of other parts of Canada speculated in almost everything, and the people of the Prairies speculated in grain specially, with possibly an occasional flutter in other things. So that nobody is altogether free from blame for the depression.

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But apparently the grain growers will not admit that any responsibility for the temporarily depressing situation rests upon them. They blame everybody else, and want something done to stop it. They demand the heads of the people who conduct the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. On the other hand, the people who conduct the Grain Exchange are demanding the decapitation of the heads of the Wheat Pools. So commissions have been appointed to investigate the doings of the Grain Exchange and to look into what the Wheat Pools have been doing. Both those representative institutions are accused of being guilty of wild speculation.

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We know nothing about the measure of responsibility which may be charged against those necessary or unnecessary institutions, but it appears to be a fact that the conduct of the Grain Exchange has involved no direct financial charge upon governments or people, while the conduct of the Wheat Pools has involved the Governments of the three Prairie Provinces in serious financial difficulties and that the Dominion Government has been called upon to rush to the assistance of the graingrowers in their difficulties. And whatever assistance the Dominion Government may be compelled to give the wheatgrowers will have to be contributed by all the taxpayers of Canada. Surely that is a fair statement of the case, and surely it is stated without prejudice against the grain-growers, with whose position we have quite as much sympathy as the circumstances warrant.

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The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

WHEN I CONSIDER

When I consider, Love, how soon the night
Will veil the radiance of smiling day,
And when I note how swiftly years take flight,
To bear with them the charms of youth away,
I long to leave the false and fruitless quest,
Quit groping after gold through sun and rain,
To turn away from worldly things, to rest
Content with love, and seek no other gain.

For when Time weaves his spell across your hair,
Where now my hand so gladly, lightly lies,
When silver mingles with the sunlight there,
Youth's wonder will be dimmed from out your eyes.
When I consider, Love, how little worth
Have fame or gold when bought with youth and tears,
Tenfold I prize your tenderness, your mirth,
Tenfold my triumph, that we cheat the years.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

MARCH, 1931

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1931.

Day	Rises	Sets
1	2:14 p.m.	5:50 a.m.
2	3:43 p.m.	6:23 a.m.
3	5:13 p.m.	6:49 a.m.
4	6:41 p.m.	7:00 a.m.
(Full Moon on 4th)		
5	8:07 p.m.	7:27 a.m.
6	9:32 p.m.	7:45 a.m.
7	10:57 p.m.	8:04 a.m.
8	.....	8:27 a.m.
9	0:18 a.m.	8:54 a.m.
10	1:37 a.m.	9:29 a.m.
11	2:47 a.m.	10:14 a.m.
(Last Quarter on 11th)		
12	3:48 a.m.	11:09 a.m.
13	4:31 a.m.	12:13 p.m.
14	5:05 a.m.	1:22 p.m.
15	5:30 a.m.	2:32 p.m.
16	5:50 a.m.	3:48 p.m.
17	6:06 a.m.	4:46 p.m.
18	6:21 a.m.	5:54 p.m.
19	6:34 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
(New Moon on 18th)		
20	6:47 a.m.	8:06 p.m.
21	7:01 a.m.	9:14 p.m.
22	7:17 a.m.	10:28 p.m.
23	7:37 a.m.	11:38 p.m.
24	8:04 a.m.	.....
25	8:40 a.m.	0:51 a.m.
26	9:37 a.m.	1:58 a.m.
27	10:31 a.m.	2:56 a.m.
(First Quarter on 27th)		
28	11:47 a.m.	3:45 a.m.
29	1:11 p.m.	4:20 a.m.
30	2:38 p.m.	4:49 a.m.
31	4:05 p.m.	5:11 a.m.

Note.—These times are correct to within one or two minutes. Dominion Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

MARCH, 1931

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1931.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:56	5:57	17	6:23	6:26
2	6:53	5:58	18	6:20	6:21
3	6:51	6:00	19	6:18	6:23
4	6:48	6:01	20	6:16	6:24
5	6:47	6:03	21	6:14	6:26
6	6:45	6:05	22	6:12	6:27
7	6:43	6:07	23	6:10	6:29
8	6:41	6:09	24	6:08	6:31
9	6:39	6:11	25	6:06	6:32
10	6:37	6:12	26	6:04	6:34
11	6:35	6:14	27	6:02	6:35
12	6:33	6:15	28	6:00	6:36
13	6:31	6:18	29	5:58	6:37
14	6:29	6:17	30	5:57	6:39
15	6:27	6:18	31	5:55	6:39
16	6:25	6:19			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Tommy: "That lady gave me sixpence for being polite. I stepped on her foot and apologized."

Uncle: "Good boy! What did you then?"

Tommy: "Stepped on it again; but it didn't work."

TELLS STORY OF ACCIDENT

Survivor Relates How Three Companions Lost Lives on Tall Chimney

ACCIDENTAL DEATH IS JURY'S VERDICT

POWELL RIVER, March 24. — The dramatic story of his miraculous escape from death when a scaffolding on which he and three companions were working near the top of a 100-foot chimney was told here today by Liugi Callegari. He was the chief witness at the inquest into the deaths of Primo Gobbo, Guiseppi Morello and Giovanni Pelossi, who plunged to their death on Saturday afternoon.

A verdict of accidental death was returned by the coroner's jury.

Callegari declared that the first hint of trouble was the sound of a drill falling off the scaffold. He immediately grasped a steel support near the top of the chimney and found himself suspended in the air as the scaffolding fell away.

REACHED SAFETY

He managed to draw himself up to the top of the chimney. He testified that he did not see the other men fall.

Callegari declared he was quite satisfied before he ascended that the scaffold was quite safe and he would go to work again on the same job. Luigi Cecconi, foreman in charge of the demolition of the chimney, testified that he had examined the steel hooks, scaffold and tackle before it was put in place and it appeared quite safe. He said that the steel was one and a quarter inches thick and tested to carry ten tons. The scaffold was constructed by the four men who used it.

Steel had been known to give way for no apparent cause, R. Fleming, who was in charge of the blacksmith shop which forged the gear, told the jury. He stated that he examined the steel supports after they had been cast and could detect no flaws.

ASSERT OUTLOOK VERY FAVORABLE

Island Deputation Expects Aid by Commons This Session for Coal Industry in B.C.

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—Vaneouver Island men who returned Monday night from Ottawa, where they asked the Federal Government for specific help to the coal industry in the form of duty on fuel oil and subvention on export coal, such as that enjoyed by Alberta and Maritime mines, are "fairly hopeful" of success.

R. R. Hindmarch, of the Nanaimo Board of Trade, and Thomas Graham, of the Cumberland Board of Trade, so summed up their mission this morning, before leaving Vancouver for the Island.

With A. W. Neill, M.P., they met Prime Minister Bennett and placed their suggestions before him personally, accompanied by a petition from 7,500 persons directly interested in the industry.

They asked a duty on fuel oil and refinery by-product fuel, with exception of that supplied to shipping. In addition, they claimed right to subvention on coal shipped foreign, except that exported to United States. Mr. Hindmarch explained that this subvention runs from $1.10 to $1.25 a ton in the case of other mining districts of Canada. The subvention applies also on coal bunkered here by ships.

Mr. Hindmarch said that the outlook was "very favorable" for some action in the matter at the present sitting of the Federal House.

FIRST UNITED Y.P.S. HEARS REV. MR. WILSON AT REGULAR MEETING

With a large number of the members present, the Y.P.S. of the First United Church held its regular monthly meeting, under the auspices of the Christian fellowship committee. Olive Heritage, vice-president of the society, occupied the chair. The brief devotional service was led by Jean Menzies. The speaker of the evening was Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, who conducted the Question Box and answered the "Queries of Modern Youth."

A delightful vocal solo was rendered by Mrs. Maidie Discombe, and a vocal duet by the Misses Williams, of St. Aidan's Y.P.S. Dorothy Morton acted as accompanist. R. G. Howell, leader of the On-We-Go Bible class and hon. vice-president of the Y.P.S., commended the young people on the high standard of the programme maintained during the year, and the wholesome fellowship provided for so many young people of the church. John Gough, convener of the literary committee, was congratulated on his election to the eldership of the church. The latter part of the evening was devoted to a social period, during which time games and a singsong were enjoyed. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the social committee, consisting of Lilian Robinson and Ken Simpson.

Following the success of the Christmas carol service the Y.P.S. has planned a similar pageant for Easter. This will be presented next Monday evening, under the direction of Olive Heritage, and is open to all friends of the society. A number of the members of the First United Y.P.S. are planning to participate in the interchurch rally which is to be held at Sidney on Good Friday.

Veterans' Corner

The Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit, No. 12, will stage a special smoking concert in their clubrooms, 512 Fort Street, on Saturday night. The programme is being prepared by Tom Obee and will open at 8 o'clock.

"Angler's Romance," reads a headline. Yes, most of them do.

VETERAN ACTOR DIES IN SOUTH

Robert Edeson, Star of Stage and Screen, Succumbs at Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, March 24 (AP).—Robert Edeson, veteran character actor of the stage and screen, died at his home early today of heart disease.

The actor had been in ill health for some time. Edmund Breese, a close friend, said. He was born in New Orleans and received his education there and at Baltimore. He was on the stage as a leading man at the age of nineteen and was starred at twenty-one. His first outstanding success was opposite Maude Adams in the "Little Minister."

His first motion picture appearance was in "Call of the North." Others included "Classmates," "King of Kings," Dr. Brodie in "The Doctor's Secret," Don Fernando in "Romance of the Rio Grande," and Colonel Randall in "Cameo Kirby."

Mr. Edeson was a member of the Masquers, a Hollywood organization; the Authors' League of America, and the Academy of Arts and Sciences.

Mainland Business Figure Passes Away

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—A well-known figure in the business fraternity of the Lower Mainland, John Donald Campbell, son of the late D. K. Campbell, of the firm of Ironside, Ranni & Campbell, died today at Tranquille. He was forty-seven years of age and had been at Tranquille during the past two years.

Since leaving school, the deceased had been associated with his father in contracting, logging and numerous other projects in which the latter was interested.

At the time of his death, the deceased was in partnership with his brother, Angus H. Campbell, in a shingle mill at Jessica, on the Kettle Valley Railway Line.

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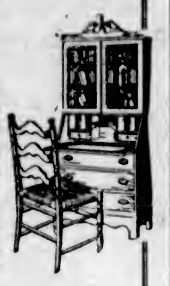

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

SAANICH HIGH SCHOOL

Sir,—I think I am expressing the views of a lot of taxpayers when I say that to spend $90,000 on a high school is not necessary, especially if the principal and interest is spread over twenty years, as this alone will practically double the original amount, and should the school be built of wood the future usefulness of the building is practically nil. I honestly believe that three well constructed buildings of tile or cement could be erected for, at the most, say $25,000. The transportation of the pupils could be nearly overcome by the professors going the round of the schools. I figure at least nine professors will be required, so three could spend two days in each school in rotation.

If $90,000 was the ultimate amount of the cost, well and good, but when the salaries of the teachers, transportation, janitors, heating, lighting and repairs are taken into account these alone will probably absorb another $40,000 to $50,000 annually.

Every child should have a good useful education, but to place any boy or girl in a high school, without first finding out his or her ability to become efficient, seems useless waste of valuable time and money.

WALTER J. DANDRIDGE.

1612 Fell Street, Victoria, B.C., March 20, 1931.

ST. PATRICK

Sir,—The Daily Colonist of Sunday, March 15, has an article on page seven entitled "St. Patrick of Ireland," in which it states St. Patrick went to Rome in 431 to prepare for his mission to Ireland.

There is no evidence that St. patrick was ever in Rome; neither is there any evidence that the Irish Church had any connection with Rome until the twelfth century.

A composition, "The Confessio," claimed to be written by St. Patrick and copied into the "Book of Armagh" three centuries after his death from a manuscript, then so old that the transcriber's difficulties in transcribing it frequently appear, is quite ignorant of any pontifical commission to Patrick. Its authenticity is accepted by Skene, Todd and others.

Towards the beginning of his "Confessio" he introduces a formal declaration of belief, the "Creed of St. Patrick" as it has been called. There is no trace of any specifically Roman doctrine.

In Brussels, in 1882, a Bollandist (Belgian Jesuit), groping among ancient manuscript turned up the full text of the "Life of St. Patrick" by Muirchu Maccumachtheni, which he compiled at the suggestion of Aedh Bishop of Sletty, who died in 698, and it contains no reference to Patrick's visit to Rome or his commission by the Pope.

S. A. MACPHEE.

Box 879, Prince Rupert, B.C., March 21, 1931.

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Churning Propellers Harmful to Fish

NEW YORK, March 24.—Traffic officers to protect poor "pedestrian" fish may soon be in order in Indiana, according to reports to the American Game Association.

A bill has been introduced in the Indiana Legislature to prohibit the operation of motorboats on lakes less than 325 acres in size during the fish spawning season, from April 1 to June 15. It would also limit the speed to ten miles an hour at all times.

Conservationists claim that churning propellers are harmful to fish life during spawning time, and when whirling too rapidly cause extreme piscatorial discomfort at any part of the year.

Tides at Victoria

MARCH, 1931

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1931.

Date	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1 ..	10:12	8.3	.....	....	.....	....	19:00	1.2
2 ..	4:40	8.1	6:50	8.0	11:20	6.2	16:52	1.3
3 ..	4:10	7.8	7:54	7.7	12:35	5.8	20:32	1.6
4 ..	4:04	7.3	8:48	8.2	13:43	5.8	21:13	2.2
5 ..	4:14	7.3	9:37	8.3	14:50	5.1	21:51	2.1
6 ..	4:30	6.9	10:30	4.3	16:08	7.4	22:20	4.1
7 ..	4:50	6.3	11:27	2.7	17:45	7.0	23:06	5.2
8 ..	5:13	5.4	13:25	3.0	18:59	6.8	23:35	6.2
9 ..	5:35	4.5	13:36	3.6	.....	....	.....	....
10 ..	5:54	3.6	14:28	3.1	.....	....	.....	....
11 ..	6:05	3.4	15:30	1.8	.....	....	.....	....
12 ..	6:31	3.4	16:31	1.9	.....	....	.....	....
13 ..	2:29	8.5	17:20	2.0	.....	....	.....	....
14 ..	3:37	8.5	18:22	2.2	.....	....	.....	....
15 ..	3:50	8.4	8:30	7.5	10:38	7.8	18:06	2.5
16 ..	3:50	8.1	8:35	8.0	11:47	7.4	18:45	2.7
17 ..	3:56	7.8	8:50	8.4	12:48	7.3	20:18	3.0
18 ..	3:45	7.7	9:10	8.6	13:37	7.3	20:48	3.2
19 ..	3:38	7.8	9:34	8.3	14:29	7.0	21:17	4.0
20 ..	3:44	7.8	10:05	4.6	16:25	8.8	21:42	4.6
21 ..	3:54	7.7	10:40	4.3	18:31	8.7	22:04	5.4
22 ..	4:04	7.6	11:22	3.7	19:03	8.3	22:14	6.0
23 ..	4:11	6.0	12:09	3.2	.....	....	.....	....
24 ..	4:15	8.3	12:37	2.8	.....	....	.....	....
25 ..	4:25	8.5	12:49	2.4	.....	....	.....	....
26 ..	4:43	8.7	14:45	1.8	.....	....	.....	....
27 ..	5:10	8.8	15:44	1.8	.....	....	.....	....
28 ..	5:48	8.8	16:44	1.8	.....	....	.....	....
29 ..	7:10	8.3	17:40	1.8	.....	....	.....	....
30 ..	3:45	7.7	8:38	7.8	16:23	7.8	18:22	3.1
31 ..	3:38	7.6	7:34	8.4	11:50	7.8	18:20	3.7

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.8 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Outerbridge add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Palmist: "I see a tall, handsome man prostrate before you."

Mrs. Perkins (interrupting): "I wish you could see my lodger, a little bow-legged man, paying his bill."

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 25, 1881)

There is prospect of a vigorous competition for the passenger traffic between the Central and Southern Pacific Railways.

The fourth session of the third Parliament will be prorogued this afternoon at 3 o'clock. There will not be any parade, but it is likely His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia will be in attendance to offer prayer and thus give effect to Mr. Ferguson's resolution on that subject.

The cable iron tank is being put together and covered in on the northern side of the Custom House building.

Smallpox continues to rage among the natives and Chinese at Honolulu.

The members of the House received sessional allowance and mileage yesterday. It is not true that the accounts were secured at the Treasury with new Canadian coppers at par. Payment was made in cheques or crisp banknotes.

A French runboat for service at Tahiti has been launched at San Francisco.

Telegraphic dispatches for the South, East and North are now sent from Victoria to Granville and thence by stage to New Westminster, where they are put on the wires for transmission to their destination. The connection should be completed by today or tomorrow, after which telegraphic communication will be maintained.

HOLDS RIFLE RANGE OFFER

Council Takes No Action Until Terms Are Known — Thanks Mr. Plunkett

MANY MINOR MATTERS BEFORE CIVIC BOARD

By a resolution passed at the regular meeting yesterday afternoon, the City Council will tender its thanks to D. B. Plunkett, M.P.P., for his work in connection with the lease of the old Clover Point rifle range to the city for park purposes. The city has received official notification of the signing of the order-in-council sanctioning the transfer of the property.

PREVIOUS OFFERS

Until the terms of the lease are made known no action can be taken by the City Council, although the matter was under discussion yesterday. Alderman James Adam asked if the council had not already turned down the offer of the Federal Department of National Defence. Alderman Litchfield asked that the matter lie on the table until the details of the former negotiations could be reviewed. Alderman Dewar intimated there had been an offer made and it had been refused, because of some terms which appeared objectionable.

REFUSAL EXPLAINED

Alderman W. T. Straith explained that the Junior Chamber of Commerce, about three years ago, opened negotiations with the Federal Government to have the property deeded to the city as a gift and the Government agreed to a long-term lease with the provision that the lease could be terminated at three months' notice should the Department of National Defence require the range in an emergency. The City Council, he said, declined the lease. He inferred that the times had changed and he considered the council should accept it, providing the terms set out in the lease were not objectionable.

The council will consider the offer when the terms of the lease are received.

ROUTINE BUSINESS

Other business before the council consisted mainly of routine affairs. A tender from A. Le Bus for approximately 800 cords of cordwood at Waugh Creek was accepted at seventy-five cents a cord, payable in advance.

On recommendation of the parks committee the council approved an amendment to the pound by-law to prohibit the grazing of cattle on unfenced lands within the city limits unless tethered. The committee also requested, and secured approval of an amendment to the streets regulation and traffic by-law to prohibit the use of firearms except on written authority of the City Council or the chief of police. The latter amendment has reference to public parks.

WAGE DISPUTE

A dispute between the carpenters' union and the contractors at the Willows fair grounds, which came under the notice of the council a week ago, was tentatively settled. The contractors' agreement with the city stipulates the payment of the current rate of union wages. It is stated that the wages had been reduced from $8 a day to $7 a day and the council had ordered payment on account withheld until the terms of the agreement had been complied with. This was released yesterday and the city will hold back an amount of $1,000 to cover the difference in dispute. The council was informed that, effective from yesterday, the new rate of wages for carpenters would be $7 a day.

On recommendation of the finance committee, Albert Taylor, assistant to the city clerk, was transferred to the assessor's office, effective from April 1.

FUNERAL PARLORS

Further correspondence from parties interested in the matter of the establishment of a funeral parlor at the corner of North Park and Quadra Streets was referred to the special committee of council.

A claim for damages for injuries sustained by his wife was presented by T. A. Pope. The claim was referred to the city solicitor, parks committee and the parks superintendent for a report. Mrs. Pope tripped on an accumulation of branches left at the corner of Roberts Street and Marine Drive after pruning, occasioning injury which necessitated a surgical operation and considerable expense.

The Victoria and district branch of the Trades and Labor Council officially notified the council, by letter, of its reconsidering of the publicity bureau grant and its support of the amount now contained in the estimates.

F. L. Lakin lodged a complaint concerning noise caused by boys in the vicinity of the old McDonald estate, which is near to his home. The complaint was ordered sent to the police department.

Thomas Johnston Is Appointed New Lord Privy Seal

LONDON, March 24 (CP).—Appointment of Thomas Johnston as Lord Privy Seal, third man to occupy that post in the present Labor Cabinet, raises the Cabinet to full strength of twenty-two members. Mr. Johnston succeeds Rt. Hon. Vernon Hartshorn, who died recently.

The new Lord Privy Seal is a former journalist, and has been Under-Secretary for Scotland since the return of the Labor Government. He is forty-nine years of age.

Says Disintegration Signs Are Misleading

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—Signs of disintegration in England are misleading, Dr. W. G. S. Adams, Gladstone professor of political theory and institutions at Oxford University, declared in addressing the Canadian Club here.

"While there seem to be signs of disintegrations, I believe that behind this apparent break-up of the old system there is coming a new movement towards consolidation," Dr. Adams said.

Whatever changes are taking place in England, there is no need to fear that the movement will lead to Hitlerism, Communism, "or any other ism," the speaker said. "There is broad common sense at the base of our system."

Obituary

CAMPBELL—The remains of Angus Campbell arrived in Victoria yesterday noon, and are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place this morning at 8:45 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

COLEBOURNE—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Colebourne took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle officiated in the presence of many friends. The humn sung was "Rock of Ages." A solo was also rendered by Mrs. Douglas Gosse, "Face to Face." Many beautiful floral offerings were received and placed on the casket, and the pallbearers were Frank Dewhurst, W. J. Crawford, E. Moore and J. Belanger. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MUNROE—The funeral of Miss Annie Munroe took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Wilson officiating. Many friends attended the service, and the casket was banked with floral tributes. The hymns sung were "Abide With Mee" and "Lead, Kindly Light." Mr. Lawton Partington presided at the organ and the following were pallbearers. W. J. Glosse, W. C. Douglas, J. B. Whitehead, G. W. Smith, M. Williams and D. A. Fraser. Interment was in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

DUNCANSON — The death occurred yesterday afternoon at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Hattie Duncanson, aged fifty-four years, a native of New York State and a resident of Victoria for the past thirty-five years. She is survived by her husband, Alexander Duncanson, 813 Cormorant Street. The remains are resting at the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

SHEPARD—The funeral of Martin George Shepard, who died in this city on Saturday, March 21, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, Patricia Bay. There was an unusually large number of friends present, and many floral tributes covered the casket. Mr. R. McDonald conducted an impressive service during which the hymns, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee," were sung. The remains were conveyed by S. J. Curry & Son from the family residence to Shady Creek Cemetery, Saanichton, where interment was made. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Walter Williams, Lawrence Paul, Sylvester Williams, Gaspard Charles, Henry Smith and B. Thomas.

LANGE — Within a well-filled chapel and amid a wealth of flowers, services for Miss Pauline Lange were held in the Sands Funeral Parlors yesterday afternoon. Rev. A. de B. Owen officiated, together with members of Eastern Star, Chapter No. 17. Three hymns: "Peace, Perfect Peace," "Abide With Me," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee," were sung. Messrs. Frank Butler, Arthur Lee, C. L. Harrison, H. P. Bishop, A. L. Curtis and G. W. H. Page acted as pallbearers. Graveside services were read by members of Rebekah Lodge, Colfax No. 1, and interment was in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

SAFE CRACKERS CONFESS GUILT

Three Young Men Robbed Two Winnipeg Theatres of $3,000

WINNIPEG, March 24 (CP).—Nonchalantly, and within twenty-four hours of their arrest, three young safe crackers today pleaded guilty to two theatre robberies which netted them $3,000 in currency and jewelry. They were remanded for sentence until March 31 by Magistrate R. B. Graham in city police court.

Coming to Winnipeg from Vancouver, after a stop-over in Regina, the men, John F. Martin, William Mason and Ernest Ross, broke into the Rialto Theatre early on Saturday morning, and carted away a 500-pound safe. It contained $2,000 in jewels and currency. Twenty-four hours later they secured $1,000 from a safe in the Starland Theatre, a movie house on Main Street.

Clues found by headquarters detectives at the Starland led to the trio's arrest in a downtown hotel. Some of the loot was recovered. A girl companion, held as a material witness, was released from custody today. Her name was not divulged.

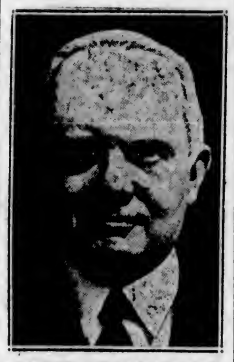
ROYAL ARCANUM GIVES DISPLAY OF DEGREE WORK

Councils of Tacoma and Seattle will have to make exceptional showings to win higher honors than Victoria's Majestic Council, according to J. J. Murphy, past grand regent, who was a guest at the Elks' Club lodgeroom on Monday evening, to witness the degree and drill team work of the local organization. Mr. Murphy, who has held many offices in the Royal Arcanum and other organizations, is an expert on degree work, and was generous with his praise for the manner in which members of the Victoria order took to their work.

Following the initiation ceremony and a talk from the guest, the newly-formed eight-piece orchestra of the order made its debut. It consists of Brothers Weeks, Parks, Townsend, Applegate, Minnis, Peacock, Applegate and Brown.

During the evening Brothers Ed Kidd and Andy Hill entertained with tricks of magic and clever impersonations.

New British Minister to Southern Republic



SIR JOHN JOYCE BRODERICK

newly appointed British Minister to Cuba, photographed when he sailed from New York for England, where he will enjoy a short vacation before taking up his new duties. He was formerly attached to the British Embassy in Washington. He sailed March 14.—Associated Press photo.

Brigands Terrorize Road to Jerusalem

JERUSALEM, March 24 (CP). — A bold series of robberies occurred today on the Jerusalem-Haifa road.

The brigands completely controlled the highway for two hours, halting cars and robbing passengers of money, clothes and valuables. British police rushed to the spot, but the brigands had decamped and have not yet been captured.

TRUE BILLS RETURNED

OTTAWA, March 24 (CP).—True bills were returned tonight by the grand jury at the Spring assizes of the Ontario Supreme Court in each of the indictments against Leo J. Bouchard and Lionel Chartrand, civil servants, charged with operating a "job ring." Trial before Mr. Justice Kelly probably will start next Monday. Bouchard and Chartrand are jointly charged under three indictments with conspiracy to defraud the public in connection with the conduct of examinations in Montreal for positions in the postal service.

Condition Is Grave

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Condition of Lord Stamfordham, eighty-one, the King's private secretary, who recently was operated upon, is causing some anxiety.

CONVICTION IS AFFIRMED

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—Conviction for bank robbery and sentence of five years' imprisonment in New Westminster penitentiary, together with ten lashes, were affirmed by the Court of Appeal on Monday in the case of Ralph Milton Carmen Humphrey, thirty-one, whose appeal was dismissed. Unable for lack of means to proceed with the appeal, Humphrey was forced out of necessity to abandon it. The order of dismissal followed as a consequence.

CONDITION IMPROVED

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—The condition of His Excellency the Administrator, Mr. Justice Lyman Duff, who underwent an operation a few days ago, was reported tonight as being very much improved.

RETIRED ADMIRAL DEAD

WASHINGTON, March 24 (AP).—Rear Admiral Charles P. Plunkett, retired, died of heart disease tonight in the Naval Hospital. He was in his sixty-seventh year.

Holdup Is Staged in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—Armed bandits took $160 from George Goyer, Brunette Street, New Westminster, and $8 from Bert Girodi, a taxi driver, in a holdup in the East End early today.

Two armed men with revolvers stopped Goyer at Gore Avenue and Prior Street at 5:30 a.m. They forced him to accompany them to a nearby taxi, and covering the driver, ordered him to proceed to the 800 block, East Eighth. There they went through the pockets of both. The bandits then drove off with the car, leaving their victims on the roadway.

Shortly after the matter had been reported to the police, detectives found the stolen taxi abandoned at Clark Drive and Broadway.

Building Leveled By Gunpowder Blast

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—A terrific blast of gunpowder leveled the little concrete mixing building of the Canadian Industries, Limited, powder plant at Brownsburg, and killed Alex Mason, forty-seven, only worker in the building.

Mason, who leaves a widow and two children, mixed the formulas for primers and blasting caps in the little building set apart for that purpose. He held the job ten years, and always worked alone. Cause of the explosion will never be known.

Appeals Are Filed

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—An appeal against convictions on which he was fined $8,000 yesterday, was filed today on behalf of Louis M. Singer, K.C., of Toronto, former counsel of the Amalgamated Builders' Council. Bail of $10,000 was granted Singer by Chief Justice Sir William Mulock. Two other officials of the builders' association, who were convicted and fined along with Singer, Charles Paddow and Herbert Ward, both of Windsor, were granted bail of $2,000 each. Appeals were filed also on their behalf.

Sergeant-at-Arms at Ottawa

LIEUT.-COL. H. J. COGHILL

appointed sergeant-at-arms of the House of Commons, Ottawa, July last, who has been filling his official position since March 12.

Premier Bennett to Honor New Governor At Dinner on April 8

OTTAWA, March 24 (CP).—Canada's new Governor-General, the Earl of Bessborough, will be the guest of honor on April 8, at a dinner tendered by Premier R. B. Bennett. Members of the Government, the leader of the Opposition and members of the Privy Council will attend the function.

CARAVAN TOUR WAS VALUABLE

Extensive Publicity Gained by Trip Over Cariboo Road, Says Major G. Smith

The Cariboo Road of today has scenic beauty at every mile, Major Gordon Smith, director of the Bureau of Provincial Information, told members of the Round Table Club, at their regular dinner meeting at the Empress Hotel last night.

Major Smith spoke on the caravan which toured between Vancouver and Hazelton last year, and of its immense publicity value to the province. While the cost was comparatively small, the returns were indeed large, Major Smith stated. He told of the many films taken of the caravan trip, of their showing in certain parts of California, and of their value from a publicity angle.

The speaker painted the future with highways extending from Buenos Aires, in South America, right through to British Columbia and this city.

Following his brief address, Major Smith exhibited the pictures taken of the caravan tour from Vancouver to Hazelton, and eloquently outlined the points of interest as the pictures were being shown.

Dr. Graham, president, thanked Major Smith for his interesting and educational lecture, and praised the many excellent "shots" secured.

GOLF BALL FACTORY IS DESTROYED BY BLAST

DETROIT, March 24 (AP).—An explosion of a tank of naphtha virtually demolished the plant of the Bon Dee Golf Ball Company last night, setting fire to nine houses adjoining the plant. Two men were slightly injured.

Officials explained the naphtha was used in cleansing the rubber used in manufacturing golf balls. The damage was estimated by officials at $100,000.

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VICTIMS OF WRECK LAND

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of disaster. On the night before the explosion, it was said, the Viking's whistle sounded. No reason for the action could be found, and the officer on the bridge said no one was responsible for the signal.

HEROIC ACTIONS

Heroes who appear in times of crisis were not lacking on the Viking. Although seriously injured, Captain Abram Kean, Jr., undoubtedly saved many lives by ordering his men to keep together, and directing their efforts to reach shore. Master Watch W. G. Johnston, of Conception Bay, stood by two injured men for fifty-two hours when he might have struggled over the ice to shore with a group who considered it hopeless to drag the injured men farther. Sealing steamers finally rescued the trio.

After stopping at Catalina to land about forty survivors whose homes are in that locality, the Government steamer Prospero arrived here at 6 a.m. with the remainder of the injured men.

CHANCELLOR RECOVERING

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Rt. Hon. Phillip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, who has been confined to his bed since early in March with influenza and cystitis, was up and about some time today.

"I understand that you had a birthday party at your house the other night. Who was there?"

"Two doctors and a nurse."

Severe Itching Burning Pimples on Head. Healed by Cuticura.

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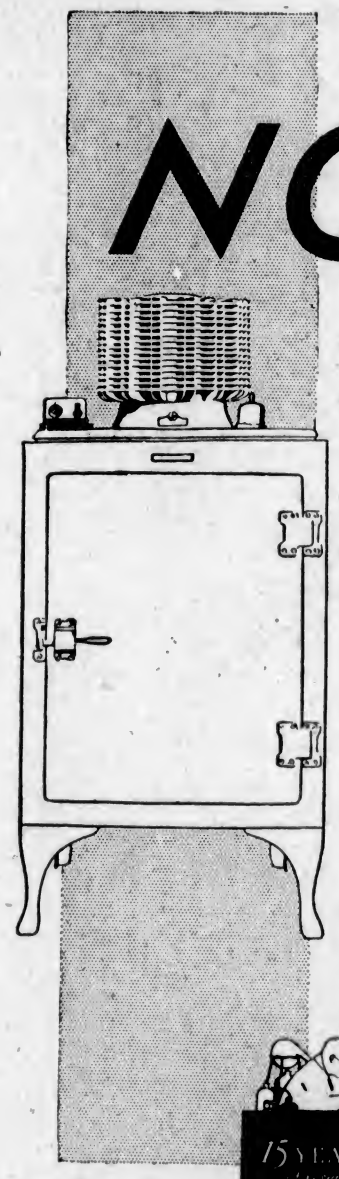

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Australia May Ship Gold To Pay National Debts and Abolish Metal Standard

CANBERRA, Australia, March 24 (CP via Reuters).—Declaring that Australia was admittedly off the gold standard, Hon. E. G. Theodore Commonwealth Treasurer, today introduced in the House of Representatives a bill whereby the Commonwealth may shortly abolish the statutory gold reserve and ship to London, for debt payments, the gold thus released.

The gold standard was a snare and delusion, said Mr. Theodore. It had definitely failed and the surest sign of that was the 30 per cent discount against Australian currency overseas. Australian banks hold $80,000,000 in gold, he declared. Hon. Mr. Theodore also revealed that if the Westminster Bank of London insists on a payment of $25,000,000, due from three Australian states on March 31, he feared those governments would have to default. He was hopeful an arrangement might be made with the bank.

And unless the Commonwealth itself obtains funds in London by June 30, default is inevitable, he also declared.

BALANCE SHEETS NOT GIVEN BY AUDITORS

During the trial of Harry E. Boorman for false pretences in County Court here last week, frequent references were made to balance sheets of the B.C. Bond Corporation, of which Boorman was the head. In case there should be any misunderstanding, it is pointed out that the balance sheets referred to were not prepared, or certified to, by local audit firms, but were in the nature of statements prepared from time to time in the offices of the B.C. Bond Corporation purporting to set out the financial standing of the company.

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RATEPAYERS' BODY FORMED

Frank Leroy Named President of New Organization—Other Officers Elected

WILL SEEK MEETING WITH CITY COUNCIL

The Victoria Ratepayers' Association was launched at a well-attended meeting held in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce last night. Frank Leroy, well-known citizen, was named president of the organization. Other officers are as follows: First vice-president, C. Warner; second vice-president, Watson Clark; secretary, John Day; treasurer, W. J. Dandridge. The following were named members of the executive: Howard Chapman, Frank Higgins, K.C., A. E. Ormond, I. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Alice McGregor, Mrs. Lawrie, Alderman R. T. Williams, Mrs. H. Crocker, ex-Alderman John Harvey, Messrs. Pinley, Gadsen, Axcord, Cooksun and Roberts.

The constitution, as presented by the executive committee, was adopted, and the membership fee set at one dollar.

Following the regular business meeting the executive went into committee and instructed the secretary to interview the Mayor for the purpose of arranging a joint meeting of the council and the members of the executive of the Victoria Ratepayers' Association. This meeting, it is hoped, will be held before the council sets the 1931 mill rate.

LANDS BRANCH BUDGET PASSED

Big Reduction in Estimates—No New Psychiatric Hospital This Year

Total votes in the Department of Lands were passed by the House last night in committee of supply at a reduction of $203,591 below last year. The total asked for the department and approved was $1,464,984, compared with $1,668,575 last year.

The sum of $20,000 was approved for lumber trade extension work, when the House, in committee on supply, dealt with the votes in the Department of Lands. Votes in the department were explained by Hon. N. S. Lougheed, Minister of Lands.

FOREST PROTECTION

Forest protection is concerned in an item of $580,000 passed for the special fund, to which the industry and the Government contribute, for the fighting of fire.

Reconnaissance and survey of timber areas passed at $10,000; salaries for the general and branch offices of the department, including surveys, forestry, water rights and other branches, at $518,659; office of the Minister of Lands, $11,915; expenses in the general office and branches, $125,000. Provision was made for the continuation of the Land Settlement Board at $23,410, including colonization work.

Hon. S. L. Howe, in the review of votes in his department, that of Provincial Secretary, stated a psychiatric hospital could not be constructed this year. Plans had been prepared, but it was found inadvisable to go ahead with the work during such unusual times, he said.

Progress was made on the votes of the department.

VICTORIA MALE CHOIR ENTERTAINS PATIENTS

A very enjoyable musical programme was given in the Rest Haven lounge by the Victoria Male Choir last Saturday. The concert programme was made possible through the courtesy of Thomas Scott, its president, and under the direction of Frank Tupman, the conductor, over forty members of the choir carried through the numbers to the pleasure of over 150 persons, including friends in the community, guests and patients at the sanitarium and members of the staff.

The programme rendered was as follows:

Choruses, (a) "Laudamus," (b) "The Little Church," (c) "Comrades Song of Hope"; tenor solo, Frank Spooner; humorous song, J. W. Buckler; choruses, (a) "Martyrs of the Arena," (b) "Sweet and Low," baritone solo, J. J. Matheson; tenor solo, T. Scott; humorous reading, H. H. Hollins; choruses, (a) "Men of Harlech," (b) "Mighty Lak a Rose," (c) "Buccaneers"; baritone solo, J. Almond; humorous duet, F. Tupman and J. W. Buckler; choruses, (a) "Massa's in de Cold, Cold Ground," (b) "Must I Then Part From Thee," (c) "Drake's Drum."

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

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City & District

Motorists Fined—Parking their automobiles over the limited time cost two motorists $2.50 each in the city police court yesterday morning.

Concert Aids College—As the result of the St. Patarick's Day concert held in the Royal Victoria Theatre last week, the sum of $741 has been cleared in aid of St. Louis College Building Fund.

Books in Demand—A remarkable increase in circulation is reported by the Victoria Public Library. Statistics for January and February show an increase of 10,375 over the same period for last year. There is also an encouraging increase of 2,484 registrations.

To Build Residence—Tenders are being asked from local contractors by A. H. Bennett, Transit Road, for the construction of a residence at the corner of Terrace and Rockland Avenues. The plans were prepared by P. Leonard James and Hubert Savage, architects.

Remands Given—Charged with the theft of a car, Joseph Jubb was remanded in the city police court yesterday until Thursday. Lee Wong Chung, Chinese, charged with being in possession of opium, pleaded not guilty. He was remanded until Friday pending analysis of the material found by police.

Folk Dancing—A new class, No. 123-A, has been added to the festival syllabus of the Victoria Musical Festival Association: Senior folk dancing, open entry; test pieces, Phoenix, Chelsea Reach English country dances and Flamborough English sword dance. Class 123 will remain as stated in the syllabus.

Saanich Estimates—The Saanich Board of School Trustees last night revised the estimates of the board, reducing them by $12,000 providing the anticipated Government grant for high school purposes is forthcoming. The reduction was made as the result of a formal request from the Saanich Council.

City of Sunshine—Victoria maintained its undisputed title of the City of Sunshine in February with 109 hours of bright sun in the twenty-eight days of the month, according to the monthly report of the Dominion Meteorological Service, just issued. The highest temperature was fifty-one, and the lowest thirty-two. Precipitation was 3.2 inches.

Gives Lamp—Miss Mitchell, director of nursing at the Jubilee Hospital, recently presented a reading lamp to the nurses, who organized a contest, offering this as a prize. The winner was Miss A. Jones, 2754 Forbes Street, and as the result of the competition the nurses have cleared more than $70 toward the expense of publishing their year book.

To Speed Session—Commencing on Thursday, the Legislature is expected to go into three sittings a day, the first at 10 a.m., the afternoon sitting at 2:30 and the evening sitting starting at 8:15 o'clock. Notice of motion to this effect was given in the House this morning by Premier Tolmie. In committee of supply, the Legislature passed estimates in two additional departments last night, adjourning at 12:10 o'clock this morning.

Recommend Postponement — An amendment to the Municipal Act, proposed by Oak Bay, was before the standing committee of the Legislature dealing with this subject yesterday. The object of the amendment proposed was to facilitate in certain instances the transfer of reverted lands. The committee decided to recommend that the matter be laid over for a year in order to allow of the different municipalities considering its workings if brought into efect.

Placing New Floor—For the first time since the opening of the Normal School at Mount Tolmie, in January, 1915, the big assembly hall, which measures about 100 ft. by 60 ft., is being refloored, the work having been taken in hand a few days ago by the Provincial Public Works Department. The reflooring, it is anticipated, will take several days yet, and it is probable that the hall will not be available for use by the students until after the Easter holidays. In view of the heavy use to which the hall is subject in the course of a twelvemonth, with an average of more than 150 students, the floor has given excellent service by lasting sixteen years.

College Dance Planned—Victoria College will hold its closing dance of the year on Tuesday, April 21, it has been decided. The new students' council-elect will take charge of this event, the personnel of this body being as follows: Kenneth Ross, president; Isabel Burton, secretary; Don Purves, treasurer; and the president of the Literary and Scientific Society, Jack Bulincks. The college life is now becoming more intense with the approaching termination of the year, lectures being scheduled to end on April 9, and examinations to begin the following day. The literary society met for the last time on March 17, when Ira Dilworth gave an address on "The Celtic Spirit in Poetry," and on the same occasion the literary society pins for the year were given out.

Probably the reason there are 8,000,000 autos on the highways and byways which aren't worth a cent more than twenty-five dollars apiece, as the National Automobile Association solemnly assures us there are, is that the owners don't like to let go of them until the last installment is met.—Ohio State Journal.

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MODERN MUSIC SIGNIFICANT

Stanley Bulley Gives Illuminating Talk Before Musical Art Society Here

"The man who sits on a tack today feels exactly the same sensations as the man who sat on a tack 2,000 years before Christ. But each would express himself differently!"

With this homely but very apt illustration, Stanley Bulley, Christ Church Cathedral organist and choirmaster, yesterday afternoon, in a clever talk before the Musical Art Society, expressed the fundamental difference between the old and the new music. Feeling, he several times reminded his audience, was constant and changeless. What did vary was the mode of expressing that feeling. The technique, in other words, changed.

In the course of the afternoon Mr. Bulley supported his argument by letting his audience hear examples of the old and new forms of musical expression, these ranging from the old plain song up through the period of the classical composers, such as Mozart and Beethoven, down to the newest of the moderns, such as Bloch. In this he was assisted by Miss Maquinna Daniels, a gifted young pianist, who showed a sensitive musicianship in her playing of Ireland's "Island Spell." Several gramophone records were also effectively employed in the same way, and Mr. Bulley several times went to the piano himself to illustrate some of the points to which he referred.

ALL ART RELATED

After a brief review of the effect of contemporary musical expression of prewar and wartime influences, Mr. Bulley touched on the relationship existing between all the arts. The aspiration of every would-be artist was that his imagination would suggest some idea, some emotion, which he would have the technique to put into concrete form. Careful investigation of both the idea and the technique, therefore, were necessary if one were to get behind and really appreciate music or any other art. One might like and enjoy a thing while ignorant about it; but one could not value or appreciate without knowledge. Historical knowledge was absolutely essential to an appreciation of music.

The sixteenth century musicians, Bach and Mozart, Tschaikowsky and Hunneker, the shepherd on the hill with his little flute and the leader of an orchestra with his many instruments to command—all had fundamentally the same feeling, but their mode of expression was different.

The sixteenth century was a turning point in musical history. Before that unaccompanied singing had predominated. Towards the end of the sixteenth century instruments began to come in as accompaniment to the voice. And the technique of hearing, itself, began to develop, although there was a corresponding delimiting of the modes from the fifteen or sixteen that prevailed at that time to the present-day two.

TECHNIQUE

"Technique means more than getting from the top of the piano to the bottom," said Mr. Bulley, who proceeded to compare it to a wheel, the rim of which stood for the soul of music, while the spokes stood for rhythm, melody, harmony and color.

With his reference to rhythm the lecturer noted that civilization had proved a handicap, in some respects, by setting up conventionalized rhythms. The African savage had a much more highly developed sense, in this respect, instances being known where the blacks had been able to beat fifty-four with the right hand against fifty-five with the left, the right and left foot simultaneously beating out two other rhythms. The modern composer was getting back to these developed forms of rhythm, a pioneer in the movement being Wagner. In this connection Mr. Bulley commented that he could not give a wholehearted condemnation of jazz music, because whatever criticism could be made of it a lack of rhythm was not one. Moreover, beautiful as a Chopin waltz might be, one could not dance to it. Furthermore, musical taste, taste in rhythm, was a cultivated taste. At one time some of the dance music in Handel and Bach suites had been barred from Europe because of its alleged obscenity. The modern composer was getting away from endless repetitions of bars of music in four-four time, and getting back to the sixteenth century mixture of rhythms.

EFFECT OF INSTRUMENT

Up to the sixteenth century melody had been confined to the octave because the voice was practically the only instrument used. They were, however, much more finely shaded than the present-day voice, and composers of that time wrote accordingly. The coming of musical instruments had altered this condition for centuries, and it was only today that a "backward progress" was tending to the achievement of similar effects in melody. Some of the young writers, such as Bloch, of San Francisco, were experimenting in quarter and eighth tones. Mr. Bulley referred here to a seventy-two part motet by one of the old writers, a copy of which he had in his possession. With the development of instruments, melody moved beyond the octave stage and developed into the wide scale of today. On the other hand, the modern composer was working on a more finely shaded scale, and, regardless of an earlier tradition that such and such an interval was difficult for the voice, wrote his music and insisted that the voice must practise this until able to sing it.

In harmony the ear was capable of great adaptation, so it was just as well for people to keep an open mind on the matter of what was or was not harmony. Not many years ago, when the chord of the dominant fifth was played for the first time it was hissed. Now this was commonplace. At least 90 per cent of concertgoers were tone deaf simply because they had not taken the trouble to listen to music rather than to watch the performer's hands on the piano. The ear, by proper application, could be made acutely sensitive, even to the point of following the voice of a single small instrument in a vast ensemble.

With the shifting of harmonic values color in music was developing, and composers such as Holst (some of whose "Planet Suite" music was played on the gramophone) were using humming voices with remarkable effect as orchestral color.

In conclusion, Mr. Bulley urged the need of better musical libraries here, so that the most modern of contemporary music might be available to students; otherwise they would remain unacquainted with the art expression of their own time.

"Victoria is admirably suited to the development of the arts, because it has the placidity which is necessary if one is to reach an accurate and well-considered conception of such things. Here, away from the bustle and excitement of the big city, one has the opportunity to separate the genuine from the spurious," he commented.

DEPRESSION HITS TOURIST TRAFFIC

American Visitors Spent $28,000,000 Less in Canada in 1930 Than in 1929

By CHARLES LYNCH

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OTTAWA, March 24.—American tourists spent $280,000,000 in Canada last year, according to the preliminary estimate of the Federal Bureau of Statistics. The world-wide economic depression affected the tourist industry, as these visitors spent $28,000,000 less than in 1929.

Automobile tourists from the United States showed a substantial increase over 1929.

Americans entering Canada for a day spent an average of $13.61 each, while those staying up to sixty days left $150.

Canadian automobile tourists entering the United States showed an increase of 127,532 over 1929. The average expenditure of the Canadian tourist was estimated at $85, as compared with $105 the year before. Consequently, the total expenditure decreased from $65,055,000 to $63,489,000.

Canadian tourists to the United States by rail and steamer spent $25,000,000 it is estimated, a decrease of $5,000,000 from the previous year.

Royal City Hopes To Keep Tax Rate The Same as 1930

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 24.—Nearly $100,000 will have to be cut from estimated 1931 civic expenditures if the city council intends to balance this year's budget and keep the tax rate at last year's rate of fifty-six mills.

Mayor A. Wells Gray announced that it is the intention to keep the tax rate the same as in 1930. It has been decided estimates be referred to departmental heads with a view to eliminating all unnecessary expenditures.

Announcements

Electrolysis is absolutely permanent, but naturally one must take the necessary number of treatments to achieve success. But is it not true of any treatment for any ill under the sun! Would it be any use to go to a doctor and say: "If you please I would like half an operation," and then expect success? So it is with Miss Hanman; trust her, co-operate with her, and success is inevitable! Phone G 7642, 503 Sayward Bldg.

It is proposed to hold a reunion of ex-members of the Canadian Engineers, C.E.F., on or about April 16, in the Drill Hall, North Vancouver. Will all ex-members who are interested communicate by letter with W. Philip, 259 Keith Road West, North Vancouver, giving their phone number and address—not later than March 28?

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Free Church of England Ladies' Aid will hold an Easter Sale, Thursday afternoon, March 26, in the Cridge Memorial Hall, Humboldt and Blanshard Streets.

Morning special at hairdressing parlors, David Spencer, Ltd., 9 till 10 o'clock: Marcel, 50c; finger wave, 50c; shampoo, 25c extra. No appointments for this special.

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Recital—Mrs. MacGovern's pupils, Friday, March 27, 7:45 p.m., North Quadra School. Auspices P.-T.A. Collection.

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House Not Alarmed Over Ku Klux Klan

By CHARLES LYNCH

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OTTAWA, March 24.—Jean Francois Pouliot, fiery French Canadian Catholic member of the Canadian Parliament from Temiscouata, Quebec, told an interested House of Commons last night that A. U. G. Bury, Conservative member for Edmonton East, and W. D. Cowan, Conservative member for Long Lake, Saskatchewan, are members of the Ku Klux Klan. Mr. Pouliot presented the annual report of the Klan, which showed that Mr. Cowan was the treasurer, and receipts were more than $40,000.

Mr. Pouliot defended the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who has been attacked by Armand Lavergne, deputy speaker of the House of Commons, as the one who had betrayed the Province of Quebec and the French-Canadian people, and whose policies when Premier of Canada, he said, had resulted in a prejudice of the English-speaking people against French-Canadians.

Mr. Pouliot's remarks caused no great commotion, as it is well known in political circles here that the Klan was operating in the province of Saskatchewan but in no other part of Canada. The Klan endeavored to get into Ontario, but the Orange Order refused to truck or trade with it. The speech on the Klan was one of many in the debate on the address in reply to the Speech From the Throne, which is now in its second week of discussion.

Park Orator—Having said all I'm going to say, I will return to what I was coming to when I was interrupted and repeat what I was prevented from saying.

Women's Work and Institutes

Local Y.W.C.A. Banquet Is Link in Big Chain

Victoria Function Coincides With Nation-Wide Gathering of Business and Professional Women's Clubs of Association—Many Greetings Received

The knowledge that 1,000 similar gatherings were being held simultaneously in other centres extending even to the other side of the world, lent an unusual interest to the local observance of the nation-wide banquet of professional and business women's clubs affiliated with the Young Women's Christian Association. Practically all the business girls residing at the "Y" attended the dinner and heard with the keenest interest the reading of the numerous greetings from other clubs, most of which had been received by telegraph or cable.

Miss Nina Joyce presided at the table, which was most attractively arranged with a profusion of Spring blossoms; and among those present at the head table were Dr. A. O. McRae, the speaker of the evening; Mrs. Arthur Walsh, president of the board of directors, and others actively associated with the girls' work programme. The suggestion of unity and co-operation was further carried out in the effective use of the flags of all nations draped around the walls and this feature was particularly admired.

GREETINGS RECEIVED

To Mrs. Walsh fell the pleasant duty of reading messages from Mrs. George J. Anderson, chairman of the business and professional committee of the National Y.W.C.A. Board, and from Miss Frances Hutchison, president of the National Business and Professional Council, and Miss Joyce read greetings from the following centres: Madras, India; Tokio, Japan; Beirut, Syria; Colombo, Ceylon; Tallinn, Esthonia, Latvia; Shanghai, China.

Cordial messages of greeting were also received from Mrs. Charles W. Gilkey, president of the Y.W.C.A. in the United States, and from Mrs. Kate A. Foster, field secretary of National Y.W.C.A. Council for the Dominion of Canada.

SPEAKER PLEADS FOR PEACE

Dr. McRae spoke briefly to the gathering emphasizing the need for thinking peace, talking peace and working for peace all the time, and remarked that it was here that women could do the most towards attaining world peace. He dreaded to think that any of the young women present should at any time in the future be called upon to bear the suffering, anxiety and sorrow that their elder sisters and mothers experienced in the period of the last war, and begged all present to avail themselves of every opportunity to promote lasting peace.

Canada House Scene of Function For Governor

By THOMAS T. CHAMPION
Canadian Press Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, March 24.—Canada House presented a brilliant scene tonight, when Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain, and Mrs. Ferguson, gave a reception in honor of the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General-designate of Canada, and the Countess of Bessborough.

Nearly 1,000 prominent guests attended. There was music and dancing. Tonight's reception undoubtedly gave the new Governor-General and his wife pleasant anticipations of their stay in Canada.

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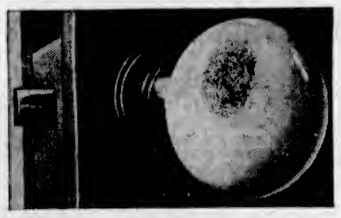
The Man Who Shot Her Boy



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Finger Print on Police Files

Left Print on a Knob

At midnight, April 9, 1927, Mrs. Violet Hatch of Los Angeles returned home from a restaurant she was running, with the night's receipts — $400 — in her bag. A masked robber met her at her door and stole the bag. Her son, coming in from the garage, tried to recover the bag, and was shot. He died next day.

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Island Social Notes

Qualicum Beach

A very successful St. Patrick's whist drive and dance, organized by Mrs. C. Forster and Mrs. G. Mant was held recently in aid of the funds of the Coombes Fall Fair. There were ten tables of whist, the prize winners being: First lady, Miss H. Jones, second, Mrs. M. Nicklin; consolations, Mrs. R. Whitnell and Miss Vera Silman; first gentleman's, F. N. Thorlburg, second, Henry Mant; consolations, R. Nickling and H. Horsnell. The traveling prizes were won by Mrs. W. Clark and R. Whitnell. Dancing followed. The spot dance prizes were won by Miss K. Clapham and Bert Ponsford, and the envelope prizes by Mrs. F. Bagnal and N. Gibson; special prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Thorlburn, Mrs. G. Luff and G. H. Adams. The hall was attractively decorated with Irish emblems.

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Mrs. J. Rins, of Wellington, motored to Qualicum Beach on Sunday to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Fraser. Mrs. Rins was accompanied by her brother, Mr. Milligan, of Edmonton.

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Mrs. W. Farris and her son, Kenneth, were here from Vancouver on Saturday to make arrangements to open up their residence for Easter. Mrs. C. C. Labrie, with her son, Peter, accompanied them. The two boys returned on Sunday to resume their school term.

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General Money returned from Victoria on Wednesday after spending the week-end.

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Miss H. Jarvis, who spent a few days in Victoria, returned on Wednesday.

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Mrs. G. Aldous returned from Victoria and James Island on Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Macdonald, of Vancouver, are now in their Summer residence on the beach.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jarvis have moved into their new home on the seafront.

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The erection of eight new houses is proceeding rapidly, and they are expected to be ready for occupation this Summer.

Campbell River

Mr. B. Carey, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, spent the week-end at his home in Royston.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. Fuller, of Port Haney, left for home on Monday after spending about ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Tucker.

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A meeting for the election of officers for the Brownies and Older Girls' Club was held last Tuesday afternoon in the Community Hall. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. J. R. McNeil; vice-president, Mrs. E. P. Painter; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. Ziegler; in charge of Older Girls, Mrs. J. Tucker; committee, Mrs. W. Crawford, Mrs. C. O. Thulin, Mrs. K. Bell and Mrs. H. Pidcock.

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Mr. Nicholson, of Vancouver, was a visitor here this week.

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On Saturday evening several of Mr. J. R. McNeil's friends arranged a surprise for him, and during the evening four tables of bridge were played. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. F. McCarthy, Misses E. and L. Thulin, Miss Abercrombie, Miss Brown, Mrs. Boffey, Miss J. Boffey, Mr. and Mrs. W. Crawford, Mrs. A. McNeil, Mr. E. Anderson, Mr. Walters, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Hudson, Mr. Fuendsen and Mr. L. McDonald. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies first, Mrs. F. McCarthy, consolation, Miss Abercrombie; gentleman's first, Mr. T. Hudson, consolation, Mr. A. Cross. After the games, refreshments were served.

Lake Hill

A successful five hundred drive was held at Lake Hill Community Centre on Monday evening, with fourteen tables in play. Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Peddle, Mr. Lodge and Mr. Elliott carried off the honors, followed by Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Tom Peden, Mr. G. Paton and O. J. Williams. Mr. Shiner and Miss E. A. Douglas won the ten bid, while Mrs. Holdcroft, Mrs. Smith, Mr. Lambert and Mr. Ferrier drew the consolation. Next Monday evening the Lake Hill Women's Institute will have charge of the games. Wednesday evening the Lake Hill carpet bowlers will hold an old-time dance, which will wind up the indoor bowling season.

NAVY LEAGUE W.A. PLAN SILVER TEA

At the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Navy League of Canada, to be held at 1112 Langley Street, on Friday, March 27, at 2:30 o'clock, arrangements will be made for the silver tea to be held on St. George's Day, April 23, at Sea Cadet headquarters, Rithet Docks. The programme for the afternoon will consist of an exhibition of the regular work done by the sea cadets, and guides will be in attendance to escort visitors over the building.

All mothers and friends of the cadets are invited to attend the Women's Auxiliary and will be cordially welcomed.

Oak Bay United Church Has Rally

In place of the regular father and son and mother and daughter banquets, Oak Bay United boys' and girls' work groups held a combined rally in the church schoolroom. Fathers and sons, mothers and daughters joined in the fun, which consisted of old-time songs, a gypsy camp fire scene by the C.G.I.T., a humorous shadow cloth production by the boys, and group games.

The main feature of the evening was a debate: C.G.I.T. vs. Tuxis, on "Resolved, that books and magabines make a greater contribution to education than the movie and radio." Gwen Gardiner and Winnie Williams upheld the affirmative; Frank Stevens and George Parker opposed them. The judges gave their decision to the affirmative.

Weddings

PAINE—DIXON

In the presence of immediate relatives a quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday evening at the Bishop's Palace, View Street, when Dorothy May Dixon, daughter of Mrs. Violet Dixon, of Eberts, was married to Daniel Francis Paine, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Paine, Miller Avenue. Rev. Monsignor Leterme officiated. Miss Gwen Hurst attended as bridesmaid, and Mr. Bruce Irving supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Paine will make their home on Vancouver Street.

Archdeacon to Give Cathedral Lecture

An illustrated lecture on "The Cathedrals of England" will be given by Archdeacon Laycock in St. Paul's Church House, Esquimalt, on Friday, March 27, at 8 p.m. A large collection of beautiful slides will be used.

After giving three farewell performances a French actress has decided to return to the stage. Much adieu about nothing.

Clubs and Societies

St. Columba W.A.

St. Columba Woman's Auxiliary held its monthly business meeting in Colquitz Hall on Monday afternoon, with sixteen members present, including one new member, Mrs. Swithun, who was warmly welcomed. Regret was expressed that four members are leaving the district, namely, Mrs. Dover, Mrs. Ross Fraser, Miss Outram and Mrs. Dover. These ladies will be very much missed in this branch. An offer from Fairfield Players' Club to put on a play in May, entitled "The Arrival of Kitty," was accepted. Mrs. Stapleton gave the report of the diocesan annual meeting and read the president's address. This was very helpful and enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Burow and Mrs. Deane-Cox acted as tea hostesses. The next meeting is to be held at Colquitz Hall on April 27.

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Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F.

The ladies of Court Maple Leaf, No. 9202, Ancient Order of Foresters, held their regular meeting on Monday night. Owing to the absence through sickness of the Chief Ranger, Sister Leonard, Sub-Chief Ranger Sister Francis occupied the chair. Much business was transacted and a final report of the sale of work was read by Sister Nunn, showing a balance of over $300. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for the coming convention in August; also it was decided to hold a banquet, concert and dance at the next meeting, it being the twenty-third anniversary of the court. At the conclusion of the business a social game of partner whist was played.

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Women's Canadian Club, Nanaimo

Mrs. T. W. Martindale presided at the monthly executive meeting of the Women's Canadian Club held on Monday afternoon in the Legion Hall. Five new members were elected into the membership of the club, Mesdames J. Kneen, A. G. Graham, George Day and W. J. Stillwell. The club is arranging for interesting speakers in the persons of Edna Jaques and Miss Agnew, of Victoria. The annual garden party of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Leighton, Machleary Street, in June.

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Britannia Branch, L.A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will hold a card social on Friday next in the clubrooms, 715 View Street. There will be bridge and whist in play. The prizes have been donated by members of the auxiliary and all members and their friends will be welcome. Refreshments will be served. The hostesses of the evening will be Mrs. Sheret, president, and Mrs. Bloomfield, secretary.

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New Education Fellowship

The annual business meeting of the New Education Felowship will take place at Spencer's private tea-room next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. In addition to the routine business, J. W. Gibson will speak briefly on the objects and ideals of the national organization of the fellowship.

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Canadian Daughters

Far West Assembly, No. 30, Canadian Daughters League, will meet in the New Thought Hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. At the close of the business session friends of the members will be entertained, a bridge party, to begin at 9 o'clock, being the feature of the evening.

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Jubilee W.A. to Meet

The monthly meeting of the Jubilee Hospital Women's Auxiliary will be held this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, in the Nurses' Home.

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To Give Illustrated Lecture

Mr. C. L. Harrison will give his popular illustrated lecture on "The West Coast of Vancouver Island" on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A. This event will mark the closing lecture of the current events series conducted by Mrs. Hugh MacKenzie during the Winter.

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St. Mark's A.Y.P.A.

The next meeting of St. Mark's A.Y.P.A. will be held in the church hall at Royal Oak on Friday evening, when it will join with the A.Y.P.A. of St. Michael's in debating the question "That Present Unemployment Is Due Chiefly to Machinery."

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King's Daughters

The Ministering Circle of King's Daughters will hold its annual meeting on Friday, March 27, at 3 o'clock, in the Rest Rooms. Members are urged to be present.

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ALLEN—THOMAS

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Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Birthday Surprise Party

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bensen, Kingston Street, recently for Miss Margaret Bensen in celebration of her seventeenth birthday. The evening was spent in games and dancing and a buffet supper was served by the hostesses. The invited guests were Captain and Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Mackenzie, Mr. Harrop, Misses Jean Spark, Kay Torrens, Jessie Berry, May Porteous, Bubbles Wallace, Amanda Benson, Charlotte Burrowes, Margaret Bensen and Messrs. H. Nancarrow, J. Newnham, F. Morgan, B. Clark, A. Burrowes, B. Fisher, R. Bensen, Jr., and E. Wark.

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Hostess at Shower

Miss M. Rodgers entertained last evening at her home, Arm Street, at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Anne Borrowman. Upon her arrival the bride-elect was escorted to a seat beneath a beautiful decorated arch, to the strains of the Wedding March played by Mrs. C. J. Scott, and presented by Master Leslie Rodgers with a beautiful bouquet of pink tulips and fern, tied with a multi-streamed ribbon bow. To every streamer was attached a verse telling Miss Borrowman where she would find the various gifts. After the gay hunt, games and tests were played. Later a delicious buffet supper was served from a table centred with Spring blossoms and tall pink tapers. The guests were Mrs. Borrowman, Miss Anne Borrowman, Mrs. D. Campbell, Mrs. A. Buchanan, Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. W. Arnot, Mrs. Maloney, Mrs. T. Clements, Mrs. C. J. Scott, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. D. Templeton, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. M. F. McDonald, Mrs. E. Rodgers and Misses Nancy Johnson, Bessie Borrowman, Peggy McDonald, Mary Clements and M. Rodgers.

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Eastern Star Tea

Complimenting the worthy grand matron, Mrs. Emily Maxwell, of Vancouver (of the Grand Chapter, Order Eastern Star), who, during the week, is visiting officially the chapters in the city, viz., Queen City No. 5, Victoria No. 17, Esquimalt No. 41 and Oak Bay No. 42, a tea will be held in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. There will be a musical programme. All members of the order are cordially invited to join the entertaining chapters at the tea hour.

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Silver Shower for Bride-Elect

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Barnes, 355 Wolseley Avenue, entertained on Saturday evening at a silver shower in honor of Miss Ruth Dicker and Mr. John Jenner, who are to be married this week. Little Peggy Cook, dressed as Cupid, made the presentation and the bride-to-be was also the recipient of a beautiful bouquet. Masses of Spring blossoms were used in the decoration of the reception-rooms. There were about eighty-five young people present and several of the guests rendered solos, recitations and violin and pianoforte selections.

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Entertains at Farewell Tea

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Darnell entertained about thirty-five members of the China-Japan Society at tea yesterday afternoon at their home, "Miyajuma," Upper Terrace Road, the Uplands, in farewell to Mrs. E. L. Fardell, a popular member of the society, and her daughter, Miss E. L. Fardell, who will leave on Saturday for Los Angeles, en route to their home in Japan. The tea table was charming in its appointments with its centerpiece of yellow daffodils and blue iris and tall yellow tapers in silver [illegible] fibra.

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The political hurricanes that hourly threaten to blow the Spanish Royal family from its dynastic foundations are seemingly powerless to check the insidious labors of Cupid. Latest reports from that troubled country state that the engagement of King Alfonso's daughter, Princess Marie Christina (above), to the Duke of Bergame, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, will soon be announced.

Coming to Esquimalt

Commander Ian Agnew, R.C.N., has been appointed to the West Coast Naval Station at Esquimalt in place of Commander L. W. Murray, R.C.N., who is being transferred to duty at Ottawa in June. Commander and Mrs. Agnew will sail from England this week and will be welcomed by a host of friends on their return, after an absence of two years. Mrs. Agnew was formerly Miss Eleanor Monteith, of Esquimalt.

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Entertains for Bride-to-Be

Miss Alyce Baines, Newport Avenue, was hostess at a buffet supper party last night in honor of Miss Doris Gibson, whose wedding will take place on Easter Monday. The other guests were Mrs. A. Farrer, Mrs. A. Crump, Mrs. A. Nash, Miss Dorothy Tremayne, Miss Phillipa Luxton, Miss Helen McIntosh, Miss Constance Waugh, Winnipeg; Miss Moninna McKenna, Miss Doreen Ashburnham and Miss Maidie Innes.

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Entertains at Bridge

Miss Eileen Thain entertained at bridge last evening at the home of her parents, Captain and Mrs. H. S. Thain, M.C., 1246 Fairfield Road. The guests included Mrs. G. D. Stevens, Mrs. J. Linton Thacker, Miss Enid Brown, Miss Janet Mearns, Miss Kathleen Dawes, Miss Patricia Hudson, Miss Gwendolyn Dorman, Miss Doreen Drummond-Hay, Miss Audrey Lewin and Miss Betty O'Brien.

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Visitors in East

Sir Richard and Lady Lake, of Victoria, who have been the guests of their cousin, Miss Phoebe Lambe, in Ottawa, for a few days, are now in Kingston, visiting their son, Cadet Harry Lake, who is attending the Royal Military College. Sir Richard and Lady Lake will go later to Toronto, where the former will attend a Red Cross meeting, before returning home.

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Club Captain Honored

At a delightfully informal afternoon tea held yesterday afternoon at the clubhouse of the Uplands Golf Links, the popular women's captain, Mrs. R. L. Semple, was presented with a beautiful basket of flowers. Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Nixon also received bouquets, and the winners of the recent ladies' competitions were presented with their prizes.

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Supper Dance Hostess

Miss Frances Lightbody entertained a small party at the supper dance in the Tudor Grill on Saturday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Marion Deeks. Those invited were Miss Muriel Chadwick, Miss Mary Swinerton and Messrs. Kyrle Symons, Harold Haynes, Tom Watkins and Arthur Laundy.

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Guests at Empress Hotel

Visitors staying at the Empress Hotel include Mr. C. Vernon Nobbs, of Winnipeg; Mr. J. F. McBurney, of Seattle; Mr. A. M. Richmond, of Nelson; Mrs. N. Northrup and Miss Northrup, of Aberdeen; Mr. C. Rolph, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. McVeagh Rogers, of Portland, Ore.

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Bridge Party at "Innishowen"

Miss Hall entertained with four tables of bridge at her home, "Innishowen," the Uplands, yesterday afternoon.

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Will Be Married Tonight

Mr. J. J. Dorsey, managing director of Milgo, Limited, and Vi-Tone Company, of Hamilton, Ont., is in the city. His marriage to Miss Helen Sybil Henderson will take place this evening in Fairfield United Church at 8:45 o'clock.

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Return to Sound City

Mr. D. Fisher and son, Donald, of Seattle, who have been spending a few days in the city, guests at the Empress Hotel, have returned to their homes on the Sound.

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Visitors From Winnipeg

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tennant, of Winnipeg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kinghorn, 1043 St. Patrick Street, for a few days.

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TODAY'S RECIPE

SCRAMBLED Eggs With Tomato Sauce—Six eggs, one and three-quarters cup tomatoes, two teaspoons sugar, four tablespoons butter, one slice onion, one-half teaspoon salt and one-eighth teaspoon pepper. Simmer tomatoes and sugar five minutes; fry butter and onion three minutes; remove onion, and add tomatoes, seasonings and eggs slightly beaten. Cook same as scrambled eggs. Serve with entire wheat bread or brown bread.

Silver Wedding at Nanaimo Celebrated

NANAIMO, March 24.—A large number of guests gathered in the Masonic Hall last evening to join Mr. and Mrs. William Macdonald, of Pine Street, in celebrating their silver wedding. For the occasion the table was centred with a lovely two-tier wedding cake and was decorated with silver leaves and hearts. Dainty lilies were used effectively on the table. The following programme was rendered and much enjoyed by those present: Toast, the King, "God Save the King"; community song, "The More We Get Together" and "Old McDonald Had a Farm"; chairman's remarks, Mr. N. Wright; solo, Mr. J. J. Seales; community song, "Annie Laurie"; toast, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, by Nat Bevis; solo (selected), Mrs. R. MacDonald; toast, "The Old Country," by Pete Maffeo; reply, J. J. Seales; community song, "In the Good Old Summer Time"; solo, Miss Lillian McDonald; community song, "Auld Lang Syne."

Next on the programme came the supper, to which full justice was done by those present. Then came the presentation of gifts to Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald. The management and staff of the Malaspina Hotel, of which Mr. MacDonald is the genial porter, presented them with a silver electric percolator. From a circle of friends came a silver tea service, and from another group of friends came a silver meat platter on which rested a beautiful case of silver.

After the presentations old-time dances were indulged in, and by the number of encores demanded showed these were enjoyed by the guests. Mr. MacDonald, on behalf of his wife and self, thanked the donors for their wonderful gifts.

Billy—I tell you what it is, Jimmy, Life is a complex mixture of irreconcilable contrariness.

Jimmy—Just so. I've had it myself. Take her a box of chocolates tonight, and you'll be all right!

Earl of Lincoln Weds Divorcee In New York

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—An American girl became a future duchess last night with the marriage of Mrs. Jean Banks Gimbernat, twenty-five, and Henry Pelham-Clinton-Hope, twenty-three, Earl of Lincoln. The ceremony was performed in the bride's home by the Rt. Rev. Arthur W. Brooks, titular Bishop of Sardis and United States administrator of the Apostolic Episcopal Church. Ancient Eastern rites were followed.

The new Countess of Lincoln is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Banks, of New York and New London, Conn. She and her first husband, Jules R. Gimbernat, were divorced in February at Reno, Nev.

Her grandfather was the late Roswell D. Hatch, secretary of the famous committee of seventy for the suppression of the Tweed ring. He was also one of the founders of the New York Bar Association.

The bridegroom is the son of Henry Francis Hope Pelham-Clinton-Hope, eighth Duke of Newcastle-under-Lyme. The Duke inherited the famous Hope diamond, once the property of Marie Antoinette, and popularly supposed to bring tragedy to its owners. He sold it in 1902.

Young People Meet

Moving pictures on "Canadian Fisheries" were presented by George Beck, of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, at a meeting of the young people of the city, held on Monday evening. The meeting was under the auspices of the Metropolitan Young People. Following the showing of the pictures, sincere thanks were tendered Mr. Beck, who also gave an address on "Canadian Products." During the evening Miss Louella Harper rendered a delightful vocal solo, accompanied by Miss Genevieve Knapp.

The young people are reminded of the Young People's Conference at Sidney, on Good Friday. All are urged to attend.

On April 9 and 10, a play will be presented by the Metropolitan Y.P.S. in the schoolroom of the Metropolitan United Church. This short comedy will prove very entertaining and all are invited to be present

Home team supporter—There's football for you! A team like ours is good enough for the cup!

Visitor—Cup? Why it's the worst team I ever saucer!

ATHLETIC SHOW IS GIVEN AGED MEN BY CRANLEIGH HOUSE

Inmates of the Aged Men's Home were entertained on Monday afternoon with an exhibition of the manly art and athletic gyrations by a score of boy pupils of Cranleigh House School. Boxing bouts were put on by the pupils, whose footwork was much admired by old-time devotees of the sport. The athletic exercises and exhibitions of tableaux proved thrilling and elicited much applause.

Miss Molly Milton, accompanied by Miss Virginia Ryan, gave exhibitions of fancy dancing in costume and was roundly cheered. Among the visitors were Alderman and Mrs. J. Adam, Aldermen H. O. Litchfield and A. Peden, Rev. Fr. J. R. Buckley, Rev. C. E. Cropper, Mr. and Mrs. Milton, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bingham, Mrs. V. Moore and parents of the pupils. Alderman Adam took occasion to compliment the boys on their good footwork and congratulated the school for its kindness in putting on the show for the benefit of the aged men.

OAKLANDS P.-T.A.

The Oaklands Parent-Teacher Association will hold a bridge and five hundred card game tonight at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. Scrip prizes will be given and refreshments served.

I.O.D.E. NOTES

ALLIES CHAPTER

The novelty tea held in the Scout Hall on Monday, March 23, by the Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E., was a most successful affair, attracting a large number of visitors.

Fortune-telling by Madame Regene proved very popular, while the White Elephant stall, in charge of Mrs. W. McLean, attracted many and was soon completely sold out. Mrs. J. Stewart took charge of the tea, and Mrs. G. McLean of the radio.

The cake guessing competition was won by Mrs. J. Copithorne. Mr. A. Hollands won the first prize in the raffle, the second has not yet been claimed, and the third prize was won by Mrs. H. Wilson.

Thanks are due to the Girl Guides for their willing co-operation in the work of the entertainment.

The chapter cleared $45 during the afternoon, part of which is to be donated to the Solarium.

MOTHER'S ANGELS

WILLIE WILLIS
By Robert Quillen

"Maybe I can go to the movies today. Mamma said I couldn't twice, but she ain't told me to stop teasin' yet."

LITTLE SISTER
By Ruby Holland

"In school one ob the kids said he liked spinach an' Willie says he ain't sure but he thinks during recess 'at kid dot beat up."

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TRUE ACCOUNT OF '98 GIVEN

Major E. Telford Tells Kiwanians Dawson Was Not Scene of Holdups

The "Trail of '98," freed from unnecessary embellishments and told in the form of a plain, straightforward story which was sufficiently exciting in itself, formed the subject of a fascinating address, given yesterday at the Kiwanis Club luncheon by Major E. Telford, late of the Northwest Mounted Police, who has spent thirty-three years of his life in the Yukon.

Much that had been written about the famous gold rush, together with many films purporting to depict the conditions which existed, said Major Telford, were entirely inaccurate.

Dawson, for instance, even in the heyday of its notoriety, was the most law-abiding city which the speaker had ever seen. Justice was swift and relentless, and the only holdup case on record was that of the Bonanza Bank, in 1902, the perpetrator of which died in prison fifteen years ago, while serving a life sentence. There was no gunplay, and lynching was unknown.

TOMATOES AND CANTALOUPES

Contrary to general conception, continued Major Telford, the country was immensely fertile and capable of producing finer vegetables than any grown on Vancouver Island. He, himself, had grown very fine tomatoes and cantaloupes.

Wheat, from which excellent bread was made, had also been grown successfully and there were acres of pea vine which reached the height of a horse's back.

The most northerly point of Canada, the speaker noted, was less than 400 miles from the North Pole; yet here were found 125 species of wild flower and 625 different kinds of mosses.

In this country there were quantities of caribou and musk ox, and recent assertions that the former were practically exterminated were disproved by the fact that, when the speaker was steaming up the river five years ago, the boat ran onto a herd of caribou fifteen miles from Dawson, and was slowed down for a distance of thirty miles in consequence.

AMUSING ANECDOTES

The speaker punctuated his address with a number of amusing accounts of incidents which had happened during the days when Dawson flourished, of which, perhaps, the most popular was the story of "Old Jim and the Bear."

Old Jim was well past his prime and had been forced to give up mining for trapping. It was two seasons before he could make any money, by which time his commissariat was dangerously depleted. He accordingly took his rifle and dogs and went hunting for meat.

Presently he fell in with an old grizzly bear which he killed after a rough and tumble in which his false teeth were irreparably broken. Old Jim now had plenty of meat, but was unable to eat it.

"An old-timer is never at a loss," said Major Telford. "Old Jim knocked out the bear's remaining teeth, filed them down, and fitted them to what remained of his plate. Then he ate the bear."

Vatican Questions Visit

VATICAN circles have learned unofficially that the Holy See has made representations to the British Government regarding the situation which might be created in Jerusalem by proposed visit during Easter season of Archbishop of Canterbury, shown above, on the yacht of J. P. Morgan, New York financier. The Vatican, it is understood, is not directly opposed to the visit, but has pointed out that it might be interpreted in Palestine as an Anglican bid for part possession of the Holy Sepulchre, now guarded by four religions.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

CURING A COLD

If you were to ask a physician in charge of the health of an industrial plant what single ailment was responsible for most sickness and loss of time by employees, he would tell you it was the common cold. He would also tell you that there were more cases reported Monday morning than any other one morning notwithstanding the Sunday rest. It is a matter of too much rest and too much food with some dampness and coldness of the atmosphere that is responsible for most colds.

A patient with a fresh cold is immediately sent home so as to avoid spreading the cold, and also so that he may prevent a common cold developing into bronchitis or pneumonia.

What is the most successful treatment for colds?

Rest in bed is the most important part of the treatment, as it enables the heart to devote all its power to the fight, instead of having some of it used up by the patient being up and around.

Heat is next important, and the body should be heated by hot drinks, hot foot baths, or hot baths and hot water bottle to the feet.

Drugs such as aspirin or Dover's powders may be used to induce further perspiration, but even these simple drugs should only be given if they have been previously prescribed for former colds.

The third important point is to take something to cleanse the intestine. Although almost any laxative may be used, the ordinary Epsom salts are particularly helpful, as they not only cleanse the intestine, but also draw some of the poisons from the blood. Further, Epsom salts stimulate liver and gall bladder, and it is most important in colds that the liver is kept in good shape so as to filter out the poisons from the blood.

There has always been an argument about food and "stuffing a cold." As a matter of fact, the patient needs food all right, but he can usually do without it for a while, miss a couple of meals, and then take simple foods such as orange juice, eggnogs, soups and milk for the first couple of days.

Rich highly seasoned foods may upset the digestion, and digestion is a real factor in colds.

Don't neglect a cold; it can be the beginning of real trouble in the sinuses, in the ears, in nose and throat, in bronchial tubes and lungs.

Remember the four points, rest in bed, heat, cleansing the intestine, and light nourishing meals.

"Snowdrops, sir?" said the hawker to the absent-minded professor.

"Yes, I believe it does," was the old man's reply.

Sex Equality May Have Its Drawbacks

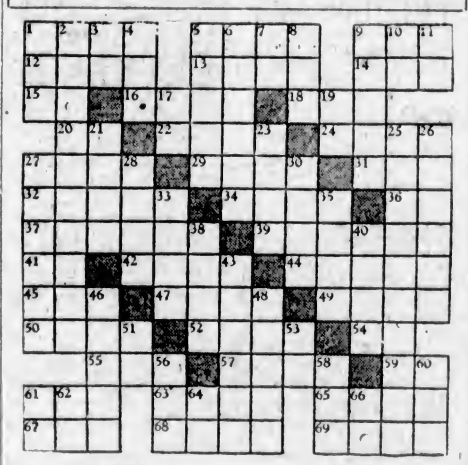
NEW YORK, March 24.—A "suffrage" movement in Pennsylvania may soon place female deer on an equal footing with males in the eyes of the law.

For many years the does were protected from hunters in that state, while the manly bucks bore the brunt of the sport. Then experts discovered that the deer ladies had increased so greatly as to overshadow the bucks. They were crowding available ranges with "old maids," eating the woods bare, and in many instances even sprouting antlers.

Special open seasons on does were declared, but until recently sportsmen were too chivalrous to approve of these.

Now the Pennsylvania Game Commission has introduced a bill to give does official "equality," according to reports to the American Game Association. It would let sportsmen hunt the females as well as the males during the same open seasons, but would also authorize the commission to close seasons on either sex at will, for the sake of keeping a proper balance between the two.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. So be it.
5. For men only.
9. Old English coin.
12. Girl's name.
13. Attitude.
14. Slap lightly.
15. By.
16. Pace.
18. Definite article.
20. Exclamation.
22. Close.
24. Goddess of discord.
27. Measure of length (pl.).
29. Sliced cabbage.
31. Insect.
32. A tumor.
34. Cease.
36. Toward.
37. Divide.
39. More acid.
41. Account (abbr.).
42. Metal cord.
44. Cubic meter.
45. Hit gently.
47. Fearful.
49. Undermines.
50. East longitude (abbr.).
52. Baby carriage.
54. Act.
55. Grief.
57. Continent.
59. Therefore.
61. Era.
63. Russian Hemp.
65. State.
67. Neither.
68. Finishes.
69. To go on horseback.

DOWN

1. Winglike part.
2. By play.
3. Printer's measure.
4. To pester.
5. Secret agents.
6. Adds up.
7. While.
8. Procure.
9. Musical drama.
10. Egyptian sun god.
11. By.
17. Indefinite article.
19. Masculine pronoun.
21. Poems.
23. Rodents.
25. Place between.
26. Stocking places.
27. Refund.
28. Small duck.
30. Courts.
33. Sour liquid.
35. Places.
38. Stumble.
40. Peruse.
43. Mission.
46. Strength.
48. Makes less hard.
51. A negative.
53. Third note of scale.
56. Before.
58. Aaron (abbr.).
60. Native metallic compound.
61. One.
62. Depart.
64. Into.
66. Six.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Genuine Gratitude Compels Tribute.

Mr. Victor Hills, of Thornton Heath, writes:—"For many years I have suffered with that distressing complaint—constipation, and its attendant effects of sick-headache and indigestion. It was a red-letter day for me when a friend recommended me a treatment of Carter's Little Liver Pills, and I can honestly say that results have been truly marvelous. I now enjoy good health and feel that life is worth living. The relief I have experienced compels me to add my sincere tribute." Take Carter's Little Liver Pills. All druggists 25¢ and 75¢ red pkgs.

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Phone Early for These Half-Day Specials in Quality Groceries

Beach's Red Plum Jam, 4-lb. tin. Special ... 39¢
Beach's Cherry Jam, 4-lb. tin. Special at ... 49¢
Goblin Pickles, made in Victoria. Sweet Chow and Sweet Mixed. Small bottle. Special ... 22¢ Large bottle. Special ... 57¢
Blue Ribbon, Malkin's and Nabob Tea, 1-lb. packet. Special ... 44¢ 3 packets for ... $1.30
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack. Special ... 45¢
Campbell's Assorted Soups. Special, per tin ... 14¢ 3 tins for ... 40¢
H B C Imperial Fruit Cake, per lb. ... 28¢ 2 lbs. for ... 55¢
Weston's English Quality Biscuits. Chocolate Assorted, 1-lb. packet for ... 37¢

CANDY SPECIALS PHONE GROCERY DEPT. FOR THESE

Easter Wrapped Molasses Kisses. Special, per lb., 19¢
Chocolate Eggs. Special at 6 for ... 25¢ and 3 for ... 25¢
Colored Candy Eggs. Special, per lb. ... 30¢

B.C. Granulated Sugar, 10 lbs. for ... 63¢ 20 lbs. ... $1.15 100 lbs. ... $5.40

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Sweet Juicy Navel Oranges, 3 dozen for ... 65¢
Scottish Champion Potatoes, 50 lbs. for ... 75¢
Sunkist Lemons, per dozen, 15¢
Arizona Grapefruit, 5 for ... 25¢
Fresh Asparagus, per lb. ... 25¢

PROVISIONS

Finest Anchor Brand New Zealand Butter, 1-lb. prints ... 41¢ 3 for ... $1.20
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ... 15¢ 3 lbs. for ... 42¢
Prime Ontario Cheese, lb. ... 32¢
English Cheshire Cheese, per lb. ... 42¢
Local Fresh Extra Eggs. Special per dozen ... 25¢ 3 dozen for ... 72¢
Ayrshire Roll, sliced. Special, per lb. ... 32¢
North Star Back Bacon, sliced, per lb. ... 35¢
Our Special Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. ... 32¢
Sliced Corned Beef, lb. ... 25¢
Sliced Ham Bologna, lb. ... 25¢
Sliced Headcheese, lb. ... 25¢
Sliced Baked Ham, lb. ... 55¢
Sliced Jellied Lunch Tongue, per lb. ... 55¢

—Quality Food Market, Lower Main Floor, HBC

HBC Quality Meats

3,000 Lbs. Good Beef and Mutton

Including Stew Mutton, Veal and Beef, Thick Rib, Cross-Cut, Blade Roast, Racks of Lamb, Plate Beef, Minced Beef and Sausages. All at, per lb. ... 14c

—Quality Food Market, Lower Main Floor, HBC

49c Specials for Smokers

One Amberoid Cigarette Holder and One Packet 20 Turret Cigarettes ... 49c
One Packet Four-Point Cigarette Tobacco, Four Packets Papers and One Oilskin Pouch ... 49c
One Leather Cigarette Case and One Packet of 20 Turret Cigarettes ... 49c
One 1-7-lb. Sack Fort Garry Tobacco and One Briar Pipe ... 49c

—Main Floor, HBC

Beauty Parlor Service

Special Prices for This Morning

Shampoo and Finger Wave ... 1.00
Shampoo and Water Wave ... 1.00
Marcel and Hair Cut ... 1.00
Shampoo and Marcel ... 1.00

We Sell and Apply Notox

—Mezzanine Floor, HBC

12 Boxed Easter Cards

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 89c

Twelve Beautiful Easter Greeting Cards in dainty hand-colored effects with tissue-lined Envelopes to match.

—Main Floor, HBC

Girls' Pantie Frocks and School Dresses

There are 200 Dresses in this special sale group for this morning's shoppers. They are neat printed Pantie-Frocks in several different styles with contrasting trimmings. These are in sizes for 2 to 4 years. There is also a large selection of Girls' Print School Frocks with contrasting or organdie trimmings in sizes for 7 to 14 years. Reg. to $1.25 **79c**

—Second Floor, HBC

Half-Day Specials in the Drug Section

Listerine Tooth Paste, regular 25c for ... 21¢
Liquid Petrolatum, 16 oz., regular 75c ... 39¢
Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, regular 75c ... 50¢
Hospital Cotton, regular 60c for ... 50¢
Hot Water Bottles, regular $1.25 for ... 89¢
Conde Castile Soap, regular 10c, 6 for ... 43¢
Bayer's Aspirin Tablets, 24's, regular 50c ... 39¢
Cusson's Baby Soap, regular 25c, 3 for ... 63¢
Pond's Creams, regular 50c for ... 39¢
Extract Witch Hazel, regular 50c, 8 oz. ... 39¢
Oil of Eucalyptus, regular 25c for ... 19¢
Camphorated Oil, regular 50c for ... 39¢
H B C Malt and Cod Liver Oil, regular $1.50 for ... $1.19
Household Rubber Gloves, regular 75c ... 49¢
Lysol, regular 35c ... 29¢
Morton's Blue Bottle Castor Oil, regular 35c ... 29¢
Jergen's Lotion, regular 50c for ... 43¢

—Main Floor, HBC

"Chamo Suede" Fabric Gloves

Regular 59c and 69c Half Day Special, Per pair ... 50c

These are Pull-on-Style Gloves, with or without elastic at the wrists. They have novelty embroidered gauntlets or perforated gauntlets and are four-button length. All sizes 6 to 7½.

—Main Floor, HBC

Georgette Scarves

Half-Day Thrift Value ... 1.25

Dainty Georgette Scarves stencilled all over in floral designs, and shown in beautiful pastel shades of blue, Nile, maize, champagne, orchid, flesh, beige, white or black and white. These Scarves are very fashionable to wear with Spring coats or suits.

—Main Floor, HBC

Women's Umbrellas

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 1.39

These Umbrellas have heavy cambric covers, good strong frames, and a good assortment of handles. They are good umbrellas for schoolgirls or for everyday use.

—Main Floor, HBC

Gossard Corsets

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 3.98

Brocade Corsets with long hip style and laced in front, and have elastic waistband. Sizes 28 and 29 only.

—Second Floor, HBC

Inner Belt Corselettes

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 1.69

Rayon Stripe Corselettes with a firm inner belt and elastic side sections. Sizes 32 to 38.

—Second Floor, HBC

A Bargain in Children's Hosiery

Oddments in Children's Socks, half and three-quarter length, in silk and lisle, four-and-one rib with cuff; also silk and wool mixtures and three-quarter Silk Socks. Choose from fawn, blue, putty, peach and white. Regular 65c and 75c lines ... **50c**

—Main Floor, HBC

HBC GROCETERIA CARRY-SAVE

Four Hours of Special Grocery Bargains Please Shop Early

B.C. Peas, seive No. 5, 3 tins for ... 25¢
Eagle Lobster, ¼'s, 2 tins ... 35¢
Real Scotch Herrings in Tomato Sauce, No. 1 tin ... 15¢
Tea—Jameson's and Blue Ribbon, 1,000 lbs., at, per lb. ... 42¢
Libby's Pork and Beans, No. 2 tins, 3 tins for ... 25¢
Economy Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. ... 31¢
Grapefruit, Cherries, Apricots or Peaches. All 8-oz. tins, per tin ... 10¢
King-Beach Superior Marmalade, 40-oz. jar ... 32¢
Lazenby's Chef Sauce at, per bottle ... 19¢
Eggs, Pullet Extras, dozen, 17¢ 3 dozen for ... 49¢
Fresh Firsts, dozen ... 20¢
Classic Cleanser, 2 tins for 15¢
Choice Quality Tomatoes, 1,000 large tins, per tin ... 10¢

—Quality Food Market, Lower Main Floor, HBC

1,000 Yards Fine Broadcloth

Wednesday Half Day Special, Per Yard ... 19c

Fine Textured Broadclothes for dresses, slips, pyjamas, blouses and children's wear. The width is 36 inches, and there is a good range of colors, including peach, sky, maize, rose, pink, mauve, saxe, and also white.

—Main Floor, HBC

Pure Wool Yorkshire Blankets

Half-Day, Per Pair ... 9.00

Size 66 x 88 inches, and weight, 7 lbs. You will get splendid wear from these white fleecy blankets, which are woven from thoroughly scoured pure wool yarns.

—Main Floor, HBC

Children's Stamped Aprons

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 25c

These are nice little Aprons of unbleached cotton, finished with colored bias binding and stamped in easy designs. At 2 for ... 45¢

—Second Floor, HBC

Flat Silk Crepes

Half-Day, Per Yard ... 1.49

Woven from pure silk yarns in correct weight for dresses, and shown in all wanted colorings. Width, 38 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

Women's Stamped Aprons

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 39c

Of practical size are these unbleached cotton Aprons. They have pockets and are trimmed with contrasting print and bias binding, and stamped for easy stitches.

—Second Floor, HBC

Mill Ends of Unbleached Cottons

Included in this collection of 36-Inch Unbleached Cottons are fine and heavy weights suitable for so many purposes. This is a bargain that will keep the parcel wrappers busy from 9 to 1 o'clock. No phone orders, please. Reg. 35c yard. Special, per yard **19c**

—Main Floor, HBC

China Cups and Saucers

4 for 50c

Attractive Cups and Saucers in ovide shape with floral band decorations.

—Third Floor, HBC

Brown Bean Pots

Half-Day Thrift Value ... 50c

These are in two-quart size and have two handles and a cover.

—Third Floor, HBC

Jug and Reamer

Half-Day Thrift Value ... 50c

A useful combination of jug graduated in ounces and cups and a lemon reamer which fits firmly on the top.

—Third Floor, HBC

Hemstitched Linen Pillow Cases

Wednesday Half Day Special, Each ... 50c

Made from a fine-textured linen and finished with hemstitched ends. Size 42 x 33 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

Rexoleum Floor Covering

Half Day Per Square Yard ... 42c

This is a very popular floor covering in pretty and new designs on a felt base. The patterns are bright and cheerful.

—Third Floor, HBC

Felt-Base Floor Mats

2 for 35c

The new patterns and designs are very useful for kitchen, pantry and doorway. Size 36 x 18 inches.

—Third Floor, HBC

Men's Flannelette Pyjamas

Soft cosy flannelette in smart colored stripes is used for these Pyjamas. They are Tooke's "Restwell" make in girdle or elastic band styles ... **1.95**

75 Women's Rayon Vests and Bloomers

Regular to $1.00 Half-Day Special ... 59c

Odd sizes in broken or discontinued lines are offered at this special price for this morning's shoppers. Each garment is of fine quality rayon silk.

—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Spring-Weight Combinations

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 69c

There are 50 only of these Spring-Weight Combinations. They are in medium-weight flat-knit cream cotton, with tight knee and built-up strap or short sleeves. Small, medium and large sizes are available.

—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Beltex Handkerchiefs

Regular 18c Each at 4 for 50c

The fabric nearest to silk is used in these British Handkerchiefs which are of fine quality with hemstitched borders and shown in a large selection of pretty colored floral, striped and check designs.

—Main Floor, HBC

Little Fellows' Oliver Twist Suits

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 1.95

Mothers will approve of these Little Velvet Panti Oliver Twist Suits with the broadcloth waist. In saxe, navy and brown. Sizes for 2 to 5 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

Children's Shoes

Half-Day Thrift Value ... 1.95

These are serviceable school shoes in patent leather strap styles and Oxfords or gunmetal Oxfords. They have solid leather soles and rubber heels. Sizes 8 to 2.

—Main Floor, HBC

300 Yards Cretonnes

Half Day, Per Yard ... 15c

These 24-Inch Cretonnes are in nice bright patterns, suitable for curtains or cushions.

—Third Floor, HBC

Lace Panels

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 69c

A Wednesday morning bargain in ivory lace panels. These are 43 inches wide and have a deep fringe. Length 2¼ yards.

—Third Floor, HBC

Repaint Golf Balls

Half-Day Thrift Special 3 for 1.10

Kroflite, Dunlop, Silver Kings, etc. First selection.

—Third Floor, HBC

Aluminum Range Kettles

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 85c

3-Pint Size Kettles with flat bottoms for quick boiling.

—Third Floor, HBC

Enamel Sink Strainers

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 35c

Extra heavy white enamel is used for these strong, serviceable strainers.

—Third Floor, HBC

Electric Boudoir Lamps

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 98c

Interesting designs and pretty colors make these lamps very fascinating for a boudoir or girl's bedroom. Complete with cord and plug.

—Third Floor, HBC

Men's Smart Shirts at a New Low Price

Half-Day Thrift Special ... 1.50

Here is a new shipment of fine woven stripe broadcloths in black, blue and helio. All have two separate soft collars and are tailored garments of full size with assorted sleeve lengths. All sizes 14 to 17.

—Main Floor, HBC

BRUINS NOSE OUT CANADIENS IN OVERTIME

Hoop Squads Ready For Crucial Battle Here This Evening

Knights of Pythias and Nanaimo Prepared for Great Tussle for Island Knockout Championship at High School Gymnasium

Basketball enthusiasts will get a glimpse at two of the finest cage machines on the Island in action this evening, at the Victoria High School gymnasium, when Knights of Pythias, city and Island intermediate champions, march on the floor to battle Nanaimo seniors in the final of a series for the Vancouver Island knockout title. The Winter Cup, symbolic of the honors, which was captured by the C.P.S. last year, will be at stake. The first preliminary will get under way at 7:30 o'clock, with Peden Brothers opposing the snappy Sons of Canada. Duncan Shell Oil will meet Hustlers in the second game.

The referees as announced yesterday will be: Alan Le Marquand in charge of the championship fixture, and Jack Taylor for the curtain raiser. Both are impartial and keep the players in check throughout.

Great interest is being aroused over the Knights-Nanaimo clash, as the teams are so evenly balanced that picking a winner is a hard task even for the most ardent cage follower. In the first game played in the Coal City last week, the Knights managed to come out on top after a rough encounter, 18-10, and will take the floor with an eight-point lead and favorites. The K. of P. hoopmen will have the advantage, as they are playing on a floor where the majority of them were schooled in the game while attending the High School.

CLEVER TEAM

Norm Forbes has trained the Knights to all the tricks of the leather-handling pastime. Their offensive plays are carried out with uncanny judgment and precision, while on the defensive they are hard to beat.

On the other hand, Nanaimo are bringing down a good aggregation, one that will be hard to beat. In Kulai and Kelly they have two of the finest basketballers on the Island, while the remainder of the squad will be in the fight from the start. It is a treat to watch young Kulai dribble down one side of the floor and then like a streak of lightning switch in towards centre, fake a shot and then pass to one of his forwards. He is a great little basketball machine and the Knights will have to watch him.

The preliminary attraction is expected to be a great tussle, as both teams have some fine players and never give up until the final whistle.

SECRETARY'S SQUAD WINS CLOSE MATCH

Defeats Captain's Team in Fifth of Series by Single Point at Colwood

WINNERS WILL PLAY FOR SPECIAL PRIZE

The squad of fair sex mashie wielders representing the secretary's team defeated the captain's aggregation yesterday at the Colwood Golf and Country Club in the fifth and deciding match of the series by a lone point after some close matches. The final score was: Secretary's, 10½; captain's, 9½. The members of the winning squad will now play off for the special prize donated by Miss Dunsmuir, women's captain.

Results, with the captain's side first mentioned, follow:

Mrs. Allen, 1; Mrs. Philbrick, 0.
Mrs. Hutchinson, ½; Mrs. Sayward-Wilson, ½.
Mrs. Paterson, ½; Mrs. Parry, ½.
Mrs. Lawson, 0; Mrs. Macfarlane, 1.
Miss Dunsmuir, 0; Mrs. Morkill, 1.
Mrs. Richardson, 1; Mrs. Watson, 0.
Mrs. C. E. Wilson, 0; Miss Fitz-Gibbon, 1.
Mrs. Gray, 0; Mrs. Crowe, 1.
Mrs. Morris, 0; Mrs. Carew Martin, 1.
Mrs. Rasmussen, 0; Mrs. Leeming, 1.
Mrs. Hall, 0; Mrs. Lee, 1.
Miss D. Scott, ½; Miss S. Spencer, ½.
Mrs. Hodges, 1; Mrs. Howard, 0.
Mrs. D. Spencer, 0; Mrs. Foot, 1.
Dr. Luden, 1; Mrs. Brown, 0.
Mrs. Prior, 1; Mrs. McQuade, 0.
Mrs. Cudemore, 1; Mrs. Graham, 0.
Mrs. McKenzie, 1; Mrs. Hetherington, 0.
Miss Blake, 0; Mrs. Perry, 1.
Miss Hammond, 1; Miss Ogilvie, 0.

JUMBO DAVIES TO MEET JONES

Local Boy to Meet Renton Fighter at Port Angeles Saturday—Lewis to Try Comback

Jumbo Davies, popular local boxer, will appear in the main event of a boxing show to be staged at Port Angeles by the Eagles Club, Saturday evening. He will box six rounds with Davy Jones, of Renton, Wash., claimant of the Northwest junior lightweight title. The boys will fight at 130 pounds.

Dave Lewis will attempt a comeback in the mitt game and will swap punches with Dave Manning, of Seattle, in the six-round semi-wind-up to the Davies-Jones bout.

The popular local lightweight has been training hard for the last month, and he appears to be in good shape for the bout.

Several local fans intend making the trip to Port Angeles to see the fighters in action.

DON GEORGE WILL MEET STRANGLER LEWIS APRIL 13

LOS ANGELES, March 24 (AP).—Ed Don George, claimant to the world heavyweight wrestling championship, will meet Ed "Strangler" Lewis, former champion, in a title bout at Wrigley Field, April 13, promoter Lou Daro announced today.

George was suspended by the State Athletic Commission, following Lewis' victory here last week over Everett Marshall, because he did not keep an appointment with Daro to arrange the match. George explained he had to catch an airplane to Oklahoma to keep an engagement there.

Olympic Body Rules Against Night Hockey

PARIS, March 24 (AP).—The International Hockey Federation today denied the request of the American Olympic committee that the 1932 Olympic field hockey matches be played in the evening under electric lights. The federation ruled the matches must be played during daylight hours.

JOKERS DEFEAT D. W. BURNETT'S

Conclude Season's Roller Schedule With 11-6 Win—Rosebuds Come Through

Manager Tommy Rickinson and his Jokers roller hockey squad concluded their season's schedule in the Victoria League by administering an 11-6 setback to D. W. Burnett's last night in a senior division fixture at the Gray Line Rink. Rosebuds continued their bid for the intermediate section laurels by whitewashing the Maple Leafs, 5-0.

Dal Munro, "Red" Lawson and Frank Tyrrel, Jokers' forward line, were in fine form against Burnett's, netting nine goals between them. Bothwell and Ray Rickinson worked hard on the defence, while Danny Pastroe turned in a fine performance in goal. Manager Rickinson did not use "Light Horse" Delahunty last night, no doubt saving him for the special challenge match.

Playing a fine combination game, the Buds had little difficulty with the Leafs and blanked them, scoring three goals in the first period and two in the last. Frank Whitford refereed and the teams follow:

Jokers—Pastroe, Bothwell (1), "Light Horse" Delahunty, Rickinson (1), Johnson, Walker, Wensley, Munroe (4), Lawson (3), Tyrrel (2).

D. W. Burnett's—Smith, Gelling (3), Hebden, McAllister, Parker, Fish (1), Atwood (2), Chambers, Marrion.

Rosebuds—J. Baker, Raby, Jones, Sage, J. Murray (1), A. Murray (2), Scott (1), L. Baker, Musgrave (1).

Maple Leafs—Anderson, Jewsbury, Hemeon, Carter, Milton, Potts, Parsons.

OAKES CAPTURES CITY CUE TITLE

Defeats Eddie Newman In Second of Series to Win Crown by 500-561 Score

Reeling off breaks of 64, 59 and 56, Sam Oakes, veteran cuelst, captured the city billiard championship and the Irish Bros.' Cup, emblematic of the honors, by defeating Eddie Newman in the second 400 block, Monday, at the Metropolis Parlors before a large gallery. The newly-crowned champion won the series by 500 to 561.

Oaks was in rare form, and although he took the table with a good margin to work on, he failed to let up and uncorked some fine playing to win the laurels. Newman made a desperate effort t overtake and ran off some fine breaks, but he could not cope with the fine display of Oakes.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - - *By Ripley*

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

George Psalmanazar, the Most Remarkable Imposbr in History—George Psalmanazar, a native of France (1679-1763), conceived the plan for the greatest literary hoax in history when he was only twenty-five years old. Impersonating a native of a purely imaginary island of Formosa, he published an entirely fictitious "Historical and Geographical Description of Formosa." In addition he invented an alphabet, a grammar, and a language which he attributed to his imaginary island, and into which he "translated" the English Catechism and part of the Bible. For many years, until he confessed his forgeries, he was the subject of a very heated controversy raging around his book. The scientists of Europe were long divided as to the merit of his work.

Lake Tahoe Never Freezes—Although Lake Tahoe is at an elevation of 6,225 feet, and at times the surrounding country has a temperature of twenty degrees below zero, Tahoe never freezes. Due to its great depth, and, possibly because of the ruffling and consequent disturbance of its surface by the strong northeasterly Winter winds, this vast body of water maintains too high a temperature to be affected by the attending short periods of low temperature in the vicinity. There are also some hot springs on the northeast shore which tend to keep up the temperature of the lake water. Reference: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Nevada City, California.

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Morenz Chosen Most Valuable Player in National Ice League

Canadiens' Centre Wins Award by Comfortable Margin Over Eddie Shore—F. Boucher Captures Lady Byng Trophy for Fourth Time

MONTREAL, March 24.—Howie Morenz, speed king of the world's champion Canadiens is the player in the National Hockey League most useful to his team, and Frankie Boucher is, for the fourth successive time, the cleanest player, according to the voting of hockey writers in each of the eight cities in the National Hockey League circuit.

Results of the annual balloting were announced today from offices of President Calder of the National Hockey League, which disposes of another year of the Hart and Lady Byng trophies.

The Hart trophy was awarded in the season of 1923-24 by the late Dr. David A. Hart, father of the present manager of the Canadien Hockey Club, to be awarded to the player adjudged the most useful to his team. This is the second time in the colorful career of Morenz that he has won the coveted award, for in the season of 1927-28 he also won the cup.

Morenz won by a comfortable margin over Eddie Shore, robust defence player of the Boston Bruins. Close behind Shore came "King" Clancy, of Toronto Leafs.

FRANK BOUCHER AGAIN

In winning the Lady Byng trophy, Frankie Boucher scored his fourth straight victory. This cup was awarded by Her Excellency in the season 1924-25.

It is not necessarily for the least-penalized player, but for the player who combines gentlemanly and sportsmanlike qualities with efficiency. Boucher is regarded as one of hockey's most skillful play-makers, and leads his team in assists, while he has earned less than a dozen minor penalties all season.

Another New York player was second to Boucher, this being Norman Himes, of the New York Americans. Himes, a clever stick-handler and prolific scorer, is another of the least penalized regulars in the game. Joe Primeau, centre-ice play-maker for the Toronto Leafs, was third in the voting.

Victoria West Organizes New Bowling Club

The newly-organized Victoria West Brotherhood Lawn Bowling Club is making elaborate plans for the grand opening of their greens late in May or early in June. The green is expected to be one of the finest in the city, and a temporary clubhouse will be used until more suitable accommodation can be provided.

To J. G. Cromack, acting honorary secretary of the club, goes great credit for the organizing and forming of the association. At a recent meeting of the members, N. S. Fraser was elected president and the following on the executive: C. Rose, J. E. Casson, C. H. Vesey, A. R. Hooper, D. Buchanan, D. Campbell, L. A. Campbell, J. D. Cromack and N. Hill.

FRENCH TEAM TAKES LEAD

Visiting Net Stars Practically Cinch Team Match Against U.S.

LANDRY DEFEATS DOEG WITH EASE

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Jean Borotra, bounding young Paris millionaire, who plays tennis for the fun of it, tonight led his French tennis team to a lead of two sets to one in the indoor team competition with the United States, pairing with Christian Boussus to defeat George Lott, Jr., and John Van Ryn. The first game went to deuce with the French team finally winning, 7-5; but the other two ended in the orthodox figures of 6-4.

Tonight's victory virtually assures the French of victory in the team competition modeled along Davis Cup lines, as Borotra is favored to win from Berkeley Bell, of Texas, in one of the two remaining singles matches tomorrow night.

It was a large evening for French tennis, as Pierre Landry, seventh in the French ranking list, defeated John Hope Doeg, American outdoor champion, ranked No. 1 on the United States rolls, 7-5, 6-1.

Wrestling Probe Is Postponed Until Friday

SEATTLE, March 24 (AP).—At the request of Ted Thye, manager of the Coast Athletic Club, a meeting of the Seattle Athletic Commission to hear his answers to charges of "fixed" wrestling matches here, was today postponed until Friday. The club was accused last Saturday by Abe Kubey, Seattle referee, of attempting to persuade the official to favor a certain wrestler in a Seattle show. Thye asked for the postponement as he was scheduled to wrestle in Spokane tonight.

McLarnin and Petrolle Will Battle May 8

NEW YORK, March 24. — The New York State Athletic Commission today abandoned all hope of staging a lightweight title match here between Champion Tony Canzoneri and Jack (Kid) Berg, of Britain, and the bout will go to Chicago as originally planned on April 24.

The commission left the field clear to Chicago promoters because of what the solons called the "exorbitant demands" of the fighters.

The commission approved a return bout at ten rounds between Jimmy McLarnin, of Vancouver, and Billy Petrolle, the "Fargo Express," to be held in Madison Square Garden, May 8.

Final standings of teams in the "A" and "B" sections of the Interservice Billiard League follow:

"A" SECTION

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
Veterans of France	10	7	3	14
Pro Patria	10	3	7	6

"B" SECTION

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
Veterans of France	10	10	0	20
Britannia Post	10	7	3	14
Army and Navy "B"	10	7	3	14
Army and Navy "E"	10	4	6	8
Pro Patria	10	2	8	4

PLAY-OFF FRIDAY

The play-off for the Section "B" championship of the Interservice Billiard League, between Britannia Branch, first-half winners and Veterans of France, second-half champions, will be played on the Naval Veterans' table on Friday night. The first match will start at 7 o'clock. J. Food will referee and Tommy Mayne will act as marker.

MINOR HOCKEY RESULTS

International League

Cleveland, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.
Detroit Olympics, 3; London, 1.

American League

Minneapolis, 2; Duluth, 7.

Bruins Overcome Lead To Defeat Frenchmen 5 to 4 in Torrid Battle

Connie Weiland Nets Winning Counter After Eighteen Minutes of Overtime—Canadiens Have Edge But Wilt Under Pressure—Toronto Leafs and Chicago Hawks Battle to 2-2 Draw

Rangers Practically Eliminate Maroons by Scoring 5-1 Victory

BOSTON, March 24 (AP).—Boston Bruins overcame a three-goal lead with a furious third-period rally, and then outbattled Les Canadiens through almost twenty minutes of sudden-death play here tonight, to win the first game of the National Hockey League championship by a 5 to 4 score.

During most of the fifth championship combat waged by these sextettes, Bruins were outplayed by Howie Morenz and company by a wide margin. The "Flying Frenchmen," however, could not match the Bruins' rugged fighting spirit after the Bruins had pulled up even at 4-all.

The ice was cleared and the players went into the sudden-death clash. Almost a full period of savage play elapsed before Eddie Shore stopped a Canadien drive, circled his net and plunged straight down the middle lane. He cleared the opposing defence pair and fired a hard shot at Goalie Hainsworth, who, in clearing, lifted the puck with his stick. Cooney Weiland caught the sailing rubber, slammed it on the ice and smashed it into the Canadien's net for the winning goal.

Line-Ups

Boston — Thompson; Hitchman, Shore; Weiland, Barry and Clapper. Subs: Gainor, Beattie, Oliver, Owen, Galbraith, Lyons, Chapman and Darragh.

Canadiens — Hainsworth; Burke, S. Mantha; Morenz, Joliat and Gagnon. Subs: Lepine, Larochelle, Leduc, Wasnie, Mondou, Lesieur, G. Mantha and Rivers.

Officials—Ion and Hewitson.

Summary

First period—No score. Penalties: Galbraith, S. Mantha, Clapper and Burke.

Second period—1, Canadiens, Gagnon (Morenz), 5:23; 2, Canadiens, Wasnie (Leduc), 1:03; 3, Boston, Clapper (Owen and Weiland), 11:08; 4, Canadiens, Burke (Morenz), 1:34. Penalty: Shore.

Third period—5, Canadiens, S. Mantha (Morenz), 2:45; 6, Boston, Shore (Clapper), 1:04; 7, Boston, Weiland (Clapper), 2:40; 8, Boston, Owen (Barry), 3:57. Penalties: Joliat (2), Shore, Gainor, S. Mantha, Larochelle and Clapper.

Overtime—9, Boston (Shore), 18:56. Penalties: Wasnie (2), Shore and S. Mantha.

RANGERS WHIP MAROONS

NEW YORK, March 24 (CP).—Montreal Maroons face an almost impossible obstacle in the third-place battle of the National Hockey League play-offs, losing out to the New York Rangers tonight by a 5-1 score.

Total goals on the two-game round will decide the third place winner, who will then meet the winner of the Toronto - Chicago series. The return Maroons-Rangers game will be played in Montreal on Thursday night.

What started in the first period as a smart brand of fast hockey and opened up with more speed and bewildering play in the second, tailed off into a rout for the Maroons.

The disorganized Montrealers went to pieces in the last period, following the third Ranger goal, and from then on the New York team had things all its own way.

Line-Ups

Rangers—Roach; Peters, Johnson; F. Boucher, W. Cook and F. Cook. Subs: Keeling, Murdoch, Thompson, Sillon, Maracle, Jerwa and Regan.

Maroons—Kerr; Conacher, McVicar; Stewart, Siebert and Phillips. Subs: Ward, Trottier, Northcott, Roche, Wilcox, Brydson, Gallagher and Walsh.

Officials—Odie Cleghorn and Jerry Goodman.

Summary

First period—1, Rangers, Bill Cook (Dillon), 10:34. Penalties: Johnson.

Second period—2, Rangers, Bill Cook (Boucher), 16:51. Penalties: Phillips, Jerwa, Bun Cook (major).

Third period—3, Rangers (Thompson), 5:15; 4, Rangers, Keeling (Murdoch), 7:56; 5, Rangers Thompson (Murdoch), 1:13; 6, Montreal, Stewart (Northcott), 5.03. Penalties: McVicar, Stewart, Siebert (2) and Regan.

BATTLE TO DRAW

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—Speedy Chicago Black Hawks, tossing relief front lines into the fray with great abandon, battled the Toronto Maple Leafs to a two-all deadlock in the first game of their Stanley Cup play-off series here tonight. The return match will be played in Chicago, Thursday, and the Leafs' championship prospects appear none too bright as the result of the stalemate on home ice.

As a play-off contest the game was devoid of spectacular features. The Hawks checked closely throughout and appeared perfectly satisfied with the result.

All the scoring occurred in the first thirty-two minutes.

Some 9,000 fans braved a downpour of rain to see the match, which, while hard fought, was clean, only seven penalties being handed out, including Day's major.

Shots on goal were fairly even, The Leafs aimed forty-four shots at Gardiner while Chabot was forced to handle forty-two from Hawk snipers.

Line-Ups

Chicago — Gardiner; Wentworth, Abel; Cook, March and Adams. Subs.—Gottselig, Romnes, Ingram, Desjardines, Bostrum, Couture, Somers, Ripley, Arbour and Graham.

Toronto — Chabot; Clancy, Day; Blair, Bailey and Cotton. Subs.—Conacher, Primeau, Jackson, Horner, Levinsky and Gracie.

Officials—Bert Corbeau, Penetang, and Alexander Romeril, Toronto.

Summary

First period—1, Toronto, Bailey (Day), 12:00; 2, Chicago, March (Adams), 5:06. Penalties—Jackson, Graham, Day (major), and Adams.

Second period—3, Chicago, March (Adams), 11:24; 4, Toronto, Blair (Day and Bailey), :48. Penalties—Adams and Armour.

Third period—No score. Penalty—Horner.

C.P.R. to Speed Up Boat to Aid Ice Hockey Fans

OFFICIALS of the B.C. Coast Service announced yesterday that the C.P.R. ferryboat Princess Charlotte, which leaves here daily for Seattle at 3:45 p.m., would be speeded up today and Friday to accommodate fans who wish to reach Seattle in time to see the Pacific Coast Hockey League championship play-offs between Vancouver Lions and Seattle Eskimos. The Charlotte will arrive in Seattle at 8:15 p.m., giving ample time for Victorians to get to the Arena before the game starts at 8:30 p.m.

GARRISON TO BATTLE NAVY

Tommies Will Clash With Pendray Cup Leaders at Beacon Hill Today

HUDSON'S BAY TO MEET S. UNITED

Navy's league-leading football eleven in the Pendray Cup race of the Wednesday football loop will be out to maintain their position this afternoon at the expense of their friendly rivals, the Garrison, at the Beacon Hill grounds at 2:45 o'clock. Hudson's Bay, second-place occupants and defending cupholders, will battle Saanich United at the same hour at the Royal Athletic Park.

The sailors have been setting the pace in the race and are fielding a strong eleven against the Tommies with hopes of keeping out in front. Last week the tars noses out the suburbanites after a great tussle, 4-3, while the departmentals managed to blank the soldiers after the latter squad had the best of the play.

Only two more matches remain on the schedule before the curtain rings down in the midweek loop. With the elevens so closely bunched any of the squads are liable to breeze through to the silverware.

Hudson's Bay line-up follows: Shrimpton; G. Davis, Tupman; Cui, Wright, Oakman; J. Taylor, Fish, Woodley, Small and D. Davis.

Y.M.C.A. MATMEN WILL STAGE SHOW

Many Wrestlers to Seek "Y" Club Championship in Annual Display Saturday

Members of the Y.M.C.A. Wrestling Club will stage their annual championships at the "Y" gymnasium on Saturday evening, starting at 7:30 o'clock. Keen interest is being shown by the young grapplers, and some fine exhibitions are expected to result before the champions are declared.

To date close to twenty title aspirants have placed their names on the entry list. Coach Lovatt has been training the lads during the past two weeks and hopes to have them in first class shape for the British Columbia championships, to be held in Vancouver on April 3 and 4. Last year the "Y" representatives showed up well in the provincial events, especially Fred Leoffler, who returned from New Westminster with one of the titles.

GRIMSBY TOWN WINS FROM SUNDERLAND

LONDON, March 24 (CP).—Playing at home, Grimsby Town defeated Sunderland by 2 goals to 1 in an English League First Division soccer match today.

In a Rugby League match at Rochdale, the home team defeated Wigan Highfield by 10 points to nil.

Big Field Will Start In Lincolnshire Today

Thirty-Five Expected to Go to Post in First Important Event of English Flat Racing Season—French-Bred Horse Favorite

LINCOLN, Eng., March 24 (CP).—The first important race of the new flat racing season, the Lincolnshire Handicap at a mile, will be run tomorrow with probably thirty-five starters, and the outsiders may not have so much of their own way as in previous years, if there is anything behind the strong support being given the French horse, Leonidas Second, who won last year.

Leonidas Second, however, has failed on eight occasions since winning the Lincoln last year. Knight Error, third in 1930, has since had three victories and showed well in a trial last week.

The mystery horse of the race is The Masher, whose sudden shortening of odds has prompted F. W. Wilmot, his owner, to say The Masher's odds are entirely false unless the going softens overnight.

The French-bred Massai, owned by Lady Ludlow, has been ruling favorite of late. He ran only three times last season, and won a mile and an eighth feature at Goodwood.

Favored outsiders are Airman, Accra, Bunch, Grand Master and Lucky Hunter.

Winnipegs Reach Western Canada Allan Cup Hockey Final

WINNIPEG, March 24 (CP).—Winnipeg's red-clad Winnipegs tonight crashed into the Western hockey finals, trampling deflated aspirations of North Battleford's Saskatchewan titlists under a 2 to 0 defeat. The two-game playdown series score ended at 3 to 1, for the two squads had grappled to a 1-1 draw on Saturday.

Coached by veteran Jack Hughes, who guided Winnipeg Elmwoods into the Canadian junior final, the Pegs meet Edmonton Superiors for Western honors Thursday and Saturday. Superiors won the Alberta title and ousted Trail's British Columbia champions. Winnipegs swept aside Thunder Bay and Saskatchewan winners after taking the Manitoba crown.

DEMPSEY LOSES POINT IN SUIT

Judge Rules Evidence of Former Injunction May Be Introduced in $500,000 Action

CHICAGO, March 24 (AP).—Jack Dempsey took a stiff legal punch on the chin today in his $500,000 battle with the Chicago Coliseum Club.

Circuit Court Judge H. Sterling Pomeroy ruled that evidence of an injunction granted in Indiana, enjoining Dempsey from risking his heavyweight championship in 1926 in a fight with anyone but Harry Wills, negro challenger, might be introduced into the testimony of the present suit in which the Coliseum Company asks $500,000 damages for "breach of contract."

Dempsey claims he was ready to go through with the contract, risking his title against Wills in 1926, but that the Coliseum Company itself failed to keep its agreement by refusing to deliver guarantee money within the stipulated time.

Badminton Loop Will Terminate Season Friday

The grand finale of the Lower Island Badminton League will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the James Bay Hotel, when teams will assemble for the presentation of the various trophies captured by the teams during the season. President Hugo Rayment will occupy the chair.

Edmonton Superiors Leave for Western Canada Ice Finals

EDMONTON, March 24.—Despite a howling March storm, several hundred fans crowded the Canadian National Depot platform this morning to wish Edmonton Superiors the best of luck as they boarded the Eastbound Continental Limited for Winnipeg at 8 o'clock.

Superiors, who qualified for the Western final of the Allan Cup playdowns by defeating Trail last week, will reach the Manitoba capital on Wednesday morning, and on Thursday they clash with the winners of the North Battleford-Winnipeg series in the first encounter to decide Western Canada's representatives in the Allan Cup finals.

MRS. WALDRON WINS G. BENNETT TROPHY

After a closely fought game, Mrs. S. T. Waldron, of the Purple Star Lodge, defeated Miss D. Coldwell, Britannia Lodge, in the final of the L.O.B.A. women's carpet bowling competition. By her victory, Mrs. Waldron captured the Bennett Trophy, presented by Brother G. Bennett.

STRONG FIFTEENS TO MEET FOR B.C. TITLE

Canadian Scottish To Tackle Mainland Champs on Saturday

Gigantic Struggle Expected When Local and Vancouver League Winners Clash at Royal Athletic Park for Provincial Crown—Great Crowd Expected to Be on Hand

Probable Line-Ups Released

Victoria's Rugby followers will get a glimpse of two of the province's smoothest working fifteens on Saturday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the Royal Athletic Park, when Ex-King George, winners of the Miller and Tisdall trophies on the Mainland, step on the field to battle the Canadian Scottish, city league champions, for the British Columbia senior championship. Both squads are in first-class shape, and a gigantic struggle is expected before the provincial titleholders are declared. One of the greatest crowds of the season is expected at the enclosure.

The Mainland champs are a great squad of ruggers. Their record in the Vancouver competitions this year indicates just how powerful they really are. They were not content with the Miller and Tisdall Cups, but trotted out and smashed their way to a great victory over the "Reps."

START TRAINING

Their win against the Vancouver select fifteen was chiefly due to their smooth-working forward line and formidable backfield work. To cope with a team of this variety the Highlanders are working out several new plays and will be in the pink of condition when the opening whistle sounds. Last night, at the Armories, Coach Bob Travis sent his understudies through a strenuous training period, which he will repeat again this evening and tomorrow night. After that he will rest his aggregation and then send them into battle confident of coming out on top.

The Scottish will have the identical line-up which defeated the J.B.A.A. seniors for the city championship by a 6-0 score. Jackie Bryden will be at fullback, with Pete Turgoose, Reg. Wenman, Larry Henderson and Jack Horne on the three-quarter line. Harry Robson and Syd Normington will look after the scrum, and Bruce Forbes, Bill Wharton, Pat Parr, Teddy May, Godfrey Wenman, Cy Bernard, Johnny Rowlands and Campbell Forbes will form the forward line.

Vancouver's line-up, as released yesterday, will be as follows: Humphries, Alvazoff, M. Rowan, Rose, Scadding, Welsman, Niblo, H. McLean, Bain, Barker, G. McLean, Hayes, Lawson, Cowan and Moran. Murray Rowan and Niblo are well known hers, having played during the past several years on Rep sides.

The British Columbia Rugby Association will announce the referee later this week. Following the tussle the visitors will be guests at a dinner in the Armories under the auspices of the Scottish.

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Will Battle John Risko

TOM Heeney, the sturdy chopping block from New Zealand, is booked to fight Johnny Risko, of Cleveland, at the Shamrock A.C., in Toronto, on April 6. Both these heavyweights have met the best in their class, and while they will never be champions, the match should attract a good deal of attention. The above picture shows Tom Heeney in fighting pose.

RACING

(By General News Bureau, Chicago)

AGUA CALIENTE, March 24.—Results of horse racing here today follow:

First race—Five furlongs:
Captain Devil (Mulrooney) ... $20.00 $ 9.80 $ 6.00
Lusardi (Page) ... 15.20 7.00
Salty (Hollinshead) ... 10.20
Time, 1:01. Also ran: Bob Blackburn, Manoa, Loyde, Viking, Every Way, Kilauea, Geheim, Tensas, Shasta Graney. Scratched: Col.'s Daughter, Little Pa, Gossoon, Sayer M., Rex Regal, C. Gilbert.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Alma Borland (Marshall) $11.00 $5.40 $3.60
Umbrian Princess (Schutte) ... 4.80 3.60
Phil K. (Lennie) ... 3.60
Time, 1:13. Also ran: Type, Seth's Queen, Right Well, Rock Byrd, Willow Bramble, Betfandol, Westire. Scratched: Lord Douglas, Starboat, Booloo, Little Boy Blue, Yelverton, Glassful, Engineer Day, Sals.

Third race—Four and one-half furlongs:
Book Maid (Hollinshead) $19.20 $5.40 $3.20
Vera Crofton (Roble) ... 2.80 2.20
Gallineta (Munden) ... 2.80
Time, :54. Also ran: Ebbs, Bondalin, Parawick, Desertie, Hindoo, Jim Green, Beans, High River, Joe Flores. Scratched: Captain Danger, Cucamonga, Lol, Olga.

Fourth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Dubric (Kern) ... $4.40 $3.60 $2.20
Field Marshal (Roble) ... 2.80 2.80
Florence Delan (Wimmer) ... 3.60
Time, 1:47 2-5. Also ran: Laddie, Starborn, Laumala, Shasta Pose, Ahelrain, Mont Elson. Scratched: Big Sink, Ada El Bee, Maurice Ed.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Sir Argo (Trivett) ... $20.80 $6.00 $5.80
Mexican D. (Fischer) ... 4.20 3.20
Dr. Wilson (Pollard) ... 4.40
Time, 1:11 1-5. Also ran: Draymont, Irlanch, That's All, Shift.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Texas Longhorn (Roble) ... $24.40 $8.00 $4.60
Cost o' Mail (L. Cunningham) ... 4.20 3.20
Voltacast (Moran) ... 4.60
Time, 1:47 1-5. Also ran: George Conard, Parnell, Supervisor, Gordon Bleu, Thelma O., Nihil, Clarmont Jr. Scratched: Cup Bearer, Trompe, Hawkshaw.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Golden Coins (Page) ... $12.40 $6.80 $8.20
Silent Jack (Moore) ... 8.20 2.80
Paine (Lenny) ... 8.60
Time, 1:49. Also ran: Ray, Coahuila, Circuit, Spanish Light, Washington Rose, Searsave, Contingent, Chuno, Coffield. Scratched: Planning Sun, Gnome, Fager Polly, Tommy McComb, Sonoma Rose, Aggie Star.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Three-year-olds and up; five and a half furlongs:
Miss Fashion Plate ... 105
Mary Roam ... 100
Toco ... 95
Blue Berry ... 100
Woodface ... 110
Selma Barbee ... 110
Freda Wisp ... 100
Lady Aggie ... 109
Maryetta ... 105
Pact ... 110
Woodfay ... 110
Pura Budget ... 105
Dorothy Mae ... 105
Idealia ... 105
Kentle ... 110
Margie N. ... 105
Shasta Dawn ... 102
Ethel Sherlock ... 110
Second race—Three-year-olds and up; six furlongs:
Tune In ... 112
Reputation ... 107
Supporter ... 105
Draymont ... 112
Beowulf ... 105
Lennie ... 103
Motor Park ... 105
Dutch Boy ... 110
Andmoenda ... 93
Queen Ann ... 103
Third race—Two-year-olds, five furlongs:
Tag Her ... 105
John Bane ... 109
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Weather clear; track fast.

VANCOUVER MAN WINS NEAT SUM

A. H. O. Freemantle Gets $5,900 in Irish Sweep—Hamilton Sanitarium Draws Horse

VANCOUVER, March 24.—A. H. O. Freemantle, West Vancouver, known as "Rattlesnake Pete," is winner of one of the $5,900 consolation prizes in the Irish Hospital sweepstake.

"I'm always taking chances," said Mr. Freemantle, the only British Columbia man to win a prize.

On August 7, 1914, the Saturday after war was declared, "Rattlesnake Pete" and his son, Norman, enlisted. The following February he was in France and was wounded and decorated with the D.C.M. for his bravery at the Battle of St. Julien.

Leaving hospital seven months later, he was made depot sergeant-major at the pay office, 7 Millbank Street, London, and was demobilized in 1920, giving him a record of thirty years' military service.

Norman Freemantle served four years "without a scratch," his father reports. Mr. Freemantle's other decorations include Northwest Rebellion Medal with bar, South African Medal with four bars, the Queen's South African Medal with four bars, Mons Star, General Service, King Edward's Coronation, Meritorious Service, Long Service and Victory Medals.

For four years of the Great War Mrs. Freemantle served as a Red Cross nurse, being stationed at Kingston-on-Thames.

Since 1921 "Rattlesnake Pete" has been a fire prevention inspector for the Canadian National Railways, and still holds that office.

SANITORIUM DRAWS HORSE

LONDON, March 24.—Five Americans and a Canadian sanitorium drew horses in the Irish Hospitals Sweepstakes on the Grand National, which will be run at Aintree, Friday.

Clayton C. Woods, Buffalo, N.Y., drew Gregalach, which won the race in 1929.

Mrs. Margaret English, East Orange, N.J., drew Mount Etna.

John McCarthy, West Philadelphia, Pa., drew More Keen.

C. F. Coates, Box 537 Liberty, Spokane, Wash., drew Stash.

"Holmes," Box 1043, Juneau, Alaska, drew Lady Victoria.

The Bennett Orchard Sanitorium, Hamilton, Ont., drew Great Span.

First prize in the sweepstake amounts to about $1,700,000.

Among those who drew cash prizes of $5,900 each were Frances Walker, Peterboro, Ont.; Samuel Medley, Hamilton, Ont.; "Balko," 716-G, Broadway, Baltimore; H. Cummings, Smith Falls, Ont.; J. Davis, Lake, Ont.; Cyril Sannah, Creston, O.; T. J. Doogan, Douglas, Alaska; C. H. Seaton, and others, Regina, Sask.; "Lilly," Box 33, Souris, Man.; M. O. Spink, Winnipeg.

Victoria High Cagers Win Two Close Fixtures

Victoria High School's cage squads captured two fixtures from Victoria College yesterday afternoon on the former's floor. The black and gold's fair sex quintette scored a 20-16 win, while Skipper Lynn Patrick guided his High School lads to a 22-15 victory. Both games were witnessed by a large crowd of students from both institutions.

BEATS SHOTPUT MARK

SYDNEY, Australia, March 24 (AP).—Harlow Rothert, United States college star from Stanford, bettered the Australian record today in the shotput with a toss of 49 feet 5 inches. He also won the javelin throw with a mark of 179 feet 2 1-4 inches.

Rothert holds the United States Intercollegiate A.A.A.A. shotput record of 52 feet 1-4 inch.

OXFORD GOLFERS LEADING CANTABS

Dark Blues Defeat Light Blues, 3-1, in Foursomes—Singles Billed Today

SANDWICH, Eng., March 24 (CP).—Several potential amateur golf champions figured in the forty-eighth Oxford - Cambridge golf tournament at St. George's links today. Oxford confounded the critics on the day's play, finishing with a lead of three to one in the foursomes, with one match halved. The singles matches will be played tomorrow.

Today's foursome results were as follows:

Oxfords Wins—Marston (captain) and Adams defeated Prin and Carr, 2 and 1; Loveday and Langford defeated McRosty and Keith, 6 and 5; Miller and Moss defeated Carr and Chronander, 8 and 6.

Cambridge Win—Langhurst (captain) and Martinrow defeated Keen and Sweeney, 2 and 1.

The halved match was that between Wellings and Lyle, of Oxford, and Bermingham and Drayson, of Cambridge.

BARRY TO MAKE TOUR OF CANADA WITH ENGLISH XI

LONDON, March 24 (CP).—Through an error in transmission it was reported yesterday that a player named Barr, of Leicester City, would be a member of the team of English soccerites to visit Canada during the coming Summer. The name should have read Barry, of the same club.

Gavuzzi and Newton Set Marathon Mark

HAMILTON, March 24 (CP).—Covering the forty-four-mile highway route in 5:52 1-2, Pete Gavuzzi and S. M. Newton, well-known marathoners, today established a new record run between the cities of Toronto and Hamilton. Their time was an hour and four minutes better than that made by the previous record-holder in 1909.

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IRISH CAPTURES BILLIARD MATCH

Defeats Sam Oakes, City Champion, in Exhibition Game After Fine Display

Running out with an unfinished break of 89, Bert Irish, well-known local professional, defeated Sam Oakes, newly-crowned city billiard champion, in a special exhibition match last night at the Metropolitan parlor by a 750-669 score before a large and enthusiastic gallery. Irish spotted his opponent 250 in a 750-500 match.

Both players wielded their cues in great fashion, and Oakes put up a game struggle against his more-experienced and finished opponent. Irish reeled off a break of 81 during the late stages to widen his lead, and ran out with the balls in good position for a three-figure break. Oakes made runs of 49 and 47, and the pair received a fine hand as they left the table.

BOWLING

OLYMPIC SENIOR FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Colonist Types — A. Anderson, 413; R. Begg, 505; H. Buckle, Jr., 499; W. Dunn, 561; W. Yasmana, 716. Total, 3,094.

Ramsay Machine—C. Savage, 590; W. Plater, 510; F. Ackerman, 471; C. S. Rodway, 474; T. Nute, 654. Total, 2,679.

Colonist Types won three.

United Typewriter—O. Kennie, 829; H. Fennell, 561; L. Cann, 474; A. Cann, 513; J. Irving, 732. Total, 2,920.

Colonist Campos—A. Benn, 593; D. Fairfull, 421; low score, 413; D. Clarke, 582; H. Buckle, 674. Total, 2,585.

United Typewriter won two.

Foodie Dog Cafe—H. Short, 667; M. Dunnett, 507; low score, 320; low score, 619; S. Nelson, 492. Total, 2,304.

B.C. Telephone—J. McLennan, 971; F. Young, 640; J. Howell, 667; T. Johnston, 648; A. Harness, 701. Total, 2,339.

B.C. Telephone won three.

New England Cafe—L. Young, 407; A. Martin, 593; F. Welsh, 601; C. Richardson, 549; B. Clayton, 623. Total, 2,763.

Elks—W. Marshall, 523; J. Lee, 588; J. Oddy, 500; J. Hodgins, 675; A. Falk, 710. Total, 3,056.

Elks won three.

Times—A. Porter, 580; S. Jenkins, 675; L. Colton, 606; J. Green, 521; L. Fox, 636. Total, 3,128.

Huskies—W. Norris, 669; R. Laughton, 557; H. Moulton, 847; G. Wilkinson, 640; J. Huxtable, 738. Total, 3,241.

Huskies won two.

Modern Shoe—L. Pollard, 568; D. Porter, 591; E. Pollard, 616; G. Hunter, 511; A. Quinn, 561. Total, 2,847.

Colonist Scribes—Defaulted.

Modern Shoe won three.

B.C.E.R. MIXED FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Cozy Glows—Miss D. Swayne, 561; Miss J. Torrance, 279; Miss E. Warder, 250; J. Loudon, 411; L. K. O'Neill, 552. Total, 2,052.

Hot Points—Miss E. Giolma, 411; Miss E. Cross, 444; Miss A. Jaques, 455; J. Flack, 487; C. T. Teasdale, 480. Total, 2,277.

Hot Points won two.

Radiantfires—Mrs. L. K. O'Neill, 354; Miss M. Flack, 256; Miss L. Nock, 392; N. Flack, 722; K. Easton, 527. Total, 2,252.

Mazdas—Mrs. A. A. White, 604; Miss M. Tindall, 272; Miss M. Chadwick, 211; D. Marchant, 434; A. A. White, 562. Total, 2,233.

Mazdas won two.

C.S. RESTORER TENPIN HOUSE LEAGUE

"A" Team—S. Bagnell, 298; G. Rawlinson, 424; W. McBay, 476; low score, 339. Total, 1,537.

"B" Team—H. Denyer, 338; J. Patterson, 298; W. Watson, 383; S. Pearce, 480. Total, 1,646.

"B" Team won two.

INTERSERVICE TENPIN LEAGUE

Revellers—C. Newbury, 346; E. McConnan, 388; D. Hunter, 459; D. Bissell, 229. Total, 1,527.

Kiwanis "B"—W. Revercomb, 442; R. MacKenzie, 478; F. Gill, 426; V. King, 418. Total, 1,862.

Kiwanis "B" won three.

Kiwanis "A"—Le Lacheur, 543; Humberstone, 514; Trotter, 509; Spencer, 474; Stuart, 481. Total, 2,520.

Gyro "A"—T. Bowden, 539; A. Webster, 465; A. McInnes, 517; L. Glasen, 509; Sibbald, 562. Total, 2,591.

Gyro "A" won two.

Kiwanis "C"—Dowell, 246; Duncan, 278; Waters, 245; Duggan, 257; Foot, 237. Total, 1,261.

Rotary — Penzer, 469; Kennie, 402. Total, 872.

MOTOR DEALERS' TENPIN LEAGUE

National Motors "B"—L. Todd, 389; H. Robson, 366; H. Hill, 368; W. Williams, 404; low score, 346. Total, 1,851.

Humphries Motors—E. Wilkinson, 119; E. Miles, 473; A. E. Humphries, 492; W. J. Oliver, 383; W. Moore, 417; N. Goyette, 294. Total, 2,145.

Humphries Motors won three.

Motor House—Eastwood, 370; Hickling, 396; Tripp, 359; Williams, 463; low score, 236. Total, 1,924.

H. A. Davie—Talbot, 359; Kenny, 386; Hallier, 335; Hurst, 236; Gordon, 427. Total, 1,847.

Motor House won two.

ARCADE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Gem Cafe—G. Mason, 619; J. Paine, 841; W. Onard, 489; N. Lerick, 631; N. Chunsranes, 700. total, 3,088.

Arcades—A. Porter, 857; C. Chiaieti, 623; J. Norrington, 935; A. Benn, 609; J. Quinn, 699; total, 3,893.

Arcades won two.

ARCADE INDEPENDENT FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Johnson Street Owls—G. Davies, 837; B. Walls, 501; H. Thompsett, 485; B. Burns, 584; J. Huxtable, 592; total, 2,705.

Fort Street Partridges—J. Stewart, 450; B. Morry, 588; C. Fea, 479; H. Stevenson, 484; J. Locke, 404; total, 2,372.

Owls won two.

Humboldt Street Quails—P. Brown, 499; J. Stewart, 525; S. Bell, 495; H. Campion, 575; G. Andrews, 674; total, 2,538.

Fort Street Pheasants—F. Sherret, 479; E. Freeman, 494; T. McGumpsey, 559; G. Wooldridge, 459; C. Price, 537; total, 2,729.

Pheasants won two.

OTTAWA PRIMROSES WILL BE ACCORDED CIVIC RECEPTION

OTTAWA, March 24 (CP).—Should Ottawa Primroses win the Dominion junior hockey championship they will be awarded the civic crest, hitherto given only to athletes bringing senior national championships to the capital. The Board of Control made the decision today.

Arrangements are being made to tender the local juniors a civic welcome whether they win or lose in their Memorial Cup series with Elmwood Millionaires.

Don't worry if your job is small,
And your rewards are few;
Remember that the mighty oak
Was once a nut like you.

British Sport as Viewed by Tom Turner

TOM TURNER

"Well rowed, Cambridge," would be the resounding cry of hundreds of thousands lining the banks from Putney to Mortlake on Saturday, and although half of these people hardly knew what it was all about they would shout themselves hoarse in the knowledge that there was a race and that the best crew won. How that news travels back from the winning post to the starting point is one of those mysteries yet to be elucidated, for it is certain that the result is known at Mortlake within a very few seconds from the umpire's decision. Flag signaling, telegraph and other methods have been in use for years past, and yet, should the casual spectator be somewhere around Barnes Bridge, he will hear the result and pass it along in such a manner that would do credit to an Indian or a South African, who appear to be blessed with a telepathy entirely his own.

Cambridge gained a great victory and are now two races to the good. At one time during their practice, even though they had all the material at disposal, it looked as though they did not "fit" their ship. With the new boat and a few changes, however, the Cantabs appear to have improved in every way, and, as the sequel showed, turned out a highly polished crew. For a while, Oxford were favored as having the more staying power and it was generally conceded rough water would be to their advantage. Both had made excellent trials at various distances, and it is to the credit of the Light Blues that they scored such a glorious victory.

A curious incident happened in the recent South African test match which, for a time, created consternation, and, subsequently, provided amusement for the large crowd present. A. P. F. Chapman, having won the toss, elected to put South Africa in to bat. The pitch was drying and he was eager to get busy. It was then discovered that no balls were forthcoming—having been broken in a previous game. The South Africans refused to allow the use of a set originally made for the smaller stumps and valuable time was being lost. Chapman led his men into the field as a kind of protest, and the two batsmen also arrived at their respective wickets; but it was only through the ingenuity of King and Collings that a start could be made, the two umpires having departed to the workshop and hastily fashioned out a set to fit the stumps. As it happened, rain put an end to proceedings on that day.

The heavy burden of taxation has forced another well-known sportsman to curtail his favorite sport. After maintaining the Quantock staghounds at his own expense for fourteen years, Sir Dennis Boles has had to give up the mastership. He has, however, consented to remain the master of the West-Somerset Foxhounds for another year. Meantime the vacant mastership of Quantock staghounds has been accepted by Mrs. Winbush, of Triscome House, Bagborough, who will carry on the hunt "for the sake of the deer, so that they should be fairly treated, and not shot." This humane sportswoman does not ride to hounds herself, but is quite willing to allow others to enjoy the exhilarating sport under proper conditions.

A broken oar is now a rarity among rowing men, but such a catastrophe did happen the other day at Oxford. When rowing in the Oriel College boat during the Torpid bumping races, the bow man broke his oar, tumbled headlong out of the boat, and thus lost his crew a place to St. John's.

Although in the annual contests recently, Cambridge defeated Oxford by winning four boxing events to three, the Dark Blues turned the tables when encountering the Cantabs in the thirty-seventh intervarsity grass hockey match. The popularity of these games was evinced at Beckenham when a record crowd attended. Oxford were in great defensive form, and to this fact may be attributed a victory of three goals to two. On one occasion during the game, however, they were caught "napping." Rocyn-Jones, who was a host in himself, took advantage of a moment when the Dark Blue were intent on keeping the play near their opponents' twenty-five. Rushing in, he secured the ball, and going clean through all obstacles scored a wonderful goal from ten yards out.

The British Minister for War, Tom Shaw, visited Selhurst Park a short time back and had the satisfaction of witnessing his army defeat the Frenchmen in the international triangular tournament. It is not so many years ago that a military soccer game savored of the "legs and wings" order, but now the play is very different, and individual force has given way to skill and combination, with the result that good soldier games are well worth attending. Watched by close to 10,000 people, the French forwards showed splendid dribbling, while their shooting was also good and enabled them to take a lead on the score sheet. The Britishers, however, equalized and finally won a great victory by two to one.

The new American golf ball is coming in for a lot of criticism of late at the instance of British professionals. During the recent Ryder Cup trials, many opinions were exchanged on the merits of the ball. Archie Compston and C. A. Whitcombe, who were opponents in the leading game, were under the impression that they lost twenty-five yards in their drives against the wind, and there was scarcely any gain in distance when playing down wind. They also thought the ball was particularly lively on the greens when putting with the wind. However, as the Ryder Cup games are to be played with it, all the pros are studying any little intricacies and will doubtless render a good account of themselves. From all reports, the younger players are showing excellent form and much above the average.

Talk of turf matters recently has resolved itself into trying to elucidate the problem as to which horse is going to win the Grand National, and the reason of Gregalach's failure to show his real form in the Newbury Steeplechases. In the latter case, everyone who remembers how he won the big race in 1929 was badly disappointed—with the single exception of Maloney, his jockey. Am just wondering if that same "jock" has "something up his sleeve." I note that Easter Hero is to be ridden by F. B. Rees, who rode Shaun Spadah to victory in the same race in 1921. This, coupled with the fact that Whitney's gelding is being trained by J. Anthony who has three National wins to his credit, makes his chance look decidedly good.

THE LISTENING POST

By WALTER TRUMBULL

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THE TRUE SPORTSMAN

Everywhere the sportsman plays,
He keeps his honor clean;
The spirit of the rule obeys,
And scorns advantage mean;
Though by no other seen.

For many things in any sport,
Escape the public view;
But he is court of last resort,
For aught that he may do;
If it be false or true.

While it may be excited hordes,
Will rise to cheer his name,
He will not grasp at fair rewards,
Or only bid for fame;
But always play the game.

Training camp baseball already is getting well under way. The Athletics and the St. Louis Cards are playing a Spring addition to the world series played last Autumn; Brooklyn is battling with Cincinnati; the St. Louis Browns are tackling the House of David team, and the other clubs are preparing for future activities.

It is just as well that the nine big league teams training in Florida did not start their work earlier, as the weather has only begun to be bright and fair. Even now, it is none too warm, but the sun has begun to show more interest in its work, and pretty soon the pitchers should get the heat they need to take the kinks out of arms which have been idle all Winter.

Babe Ruth, after playing some really fine golf in various tournaments, has laid aside the driver for the bat. Whether or not golf will improve his hitting, it certainly has exercised his legs and kept him out in the open air.

Ruth has changed considerably in the past few seasons. The sultan of swat is considerably less of a play boy than he used to be. He is beginning to take life more seriously and has a very definite ambition to make this a big year.

I don't think he was very pleased to have Wilson beat him out in the matter of home runs. The Babe should start this season in good condition, and undoubtedly expects to hit many a four-base blow before it is over.

Though putting is the winning art,
The experts all agree,
The thing which warms the duffer's heart,
Is driving from the tee.

Bob Jones is in Hollywood demonstrating for the movies just how each shot should be played. If the effect is the same as watching Mr. Jones play on the course, we fear that there are many dubs who will continue to slice, pull and top shots and keep on missing putts.

Knute Rockne has joined his family in Florida for the purpose of taking that long advertised rest. Mr. Rockne commenced to relax by attending a luncheon given in his honor by the Mayor of Miami and making a speech.

The baseball players, exclusive of pitchers, with whom I have talked recently, do not appear to believe that the changes in the ball will make any great difference. They subscribe to the theory of the old-timer, who said:

"Sometimes you hit 'em and sometimes you don't. That's all there is to it."

Belanger Holds Rosales to Draw In Portland Bout

PORTLAND, March 24 (AP).—Rosy Rosales, Cleveland Indian, and Charley Belanger, Winnipeg, Canada, fought ten rounds to a draw here tonight. They are light-heavyweights. Rosales, making his first appearance in the Northwest, had enough of a margin, in the opinion of many ringsiders, to entitle him to the decision, but Referee Stoops called the fight even. Rosales scored heavily with short punches to the midsection, while Belanger's best was a looping left that sent the Indian off balance. Clinching throughout the fight slowed down the bout.

Rosales weighed 173, Belanger 176 pounds.

Londos Wins From Man With Red Mask

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 24 (AP).—Jim Londos, recognized in several states as world's champion heavyweight wrestler, tonight threw the "man with the red mask" with an airplane whirl in 40 minutes 5 seconds. The masked wrestler, winner of four consecutive bouts here, while concealing his identity, revealed himself just before the match as Milo Steinborn, of Germany.

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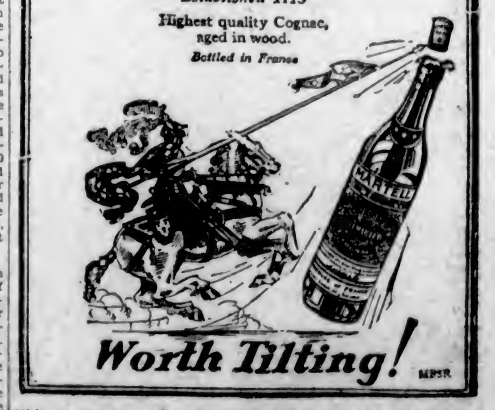

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ROD AND GUN CLUB MEETS

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers Is Held at Cumberland—Resolutions

GAME BOARD ASKED TO RESTOCK ISLAND LAKE

CUMBERLAND, March 24.—The Cumberland Rod and Gun Club held its annual meeting and smoker in the Cumberland Hall, on Saturday evening, with about 100 members in attendance. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Honorary president, H. Maynard, Victoria; honorary vice-presidents, Thomas Graham and T. W. Scott; secretary-treasurer, J. L. Brown; executive committee, R. James, A. Maxwell, A Sommerville, J. Lewis, J. and B. Horbury, J. H. Cameron, H. Strachan, R. Struthers, G. Richardson, J. Ellis, O. Roberts, J. Bono and Ed Anderson (Union Bay).

Theed Pearse, of Courtenay, read a letter from James Aston, also of Courtenay, advocating completion of the road on the east coast of Denman Island, to give fishermen access to Yellow Rock. It was moved by Mayor Maxwell, of Cumberland, that a resolution be presented before the Courtenay and Cumberland Boards of Trade bringing this to their attention. B. Harvey, game warden for the district, spoke on observance of game laws, and thanked the club members for their hearty co-operation.

The secretary was instructed to write the game board asking that Lake Cumberland be restocked with 5,000 Kamloops trout or with cutthroat trout.

It was also decided by the meeting that, subject to the approval of the Comox Logging Company, fireplaces or open ovens be built for the convenience of campers and to guard against fire hazard. An interesting programme completed the evening's enjoyment, consisting of songs by J. Bono, G. Richardson, T. Brown, R. Bennie, J. Murray, W. Herd, J. Griffith, W. Warren, W. Brown, G. Brown; violin solos by D. Tweedhope; recitation, R. Littler; duet, R. Bennie and M. Stewart, and G. Robertson and A. Williams. John McKenzie, of Courtenay, spoke on behalf of the Courtenay guests.

Font Is Dedicated At Fulford Harbor

SALT SPRING ISLAND, March 24.—A very large congregation filled St. Mary's, Fulford Harbor, last Sunday morning, when Canon J. W. Flinton dedicated to the church the beautiful new font donated by J. Monk. Mrs. Moorhouse officiated at the organ.

The font is of solid oak, with carving, and was entirely made by Mr. Monk, of Beaver Point, from an oak grown on his land. The font is a beautiful piece of work, and the congregation is justly proud of the gift.

Duncan School Pupils Hear Dental Address

DUNCAN, March 24.—Dr. H. Thompson, field secretary of the Canadian Dental Association, visited Duncan on Friday. By courtesy of G. G. Baiss, of the Capitol Theatre, some five hundred scholars of the Consolidated and high schools were allowed the use of the theatre and heard an address on the care of teeth. In the evening Dr. Thompson lectured in the Guide Hall. Dr. D. E. Ker presided. Arrangements for the pictures and lecture were made by the Cowichan Health Centre.

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ST. CHARLES MILK

News Letter on Farmers' Markets

The market news letter issued by the Provincial Department of Agriculture, under date of March 23, says:

Excerpt from report of the British Columbia Livestock Exchange Ltd., March 21: Livestock values continued through the week at steady prices with last week on cattle and hogs and a quarter to fifty cents higher on the top lambs. Cattle—There was a light run of cattle on the market this week and no real good cows, heifers or steers offered. Hogs—The hog market dropped back around a dollar from previous week on the Eastern markets, but the hogs on the market here were mostly of the light weights that sold at prices of last week. Lambs—The lamb market is firming up and a few good lambs sold at 8 1-4 to 8 1-2. These were choice light lambs. We look for the lamb market to go a little higher on the choice light lambs which are scarce. There has been a demand for mutton, but there are few on the market.

VALUE TOLD OF CITY'S BEAUTY

Address Is Given in Courtenay by Superintendent of Vancouver Parks Board

COURTENAY, March 24.—A very live subject was before the people of Courtenay on Monday night, when the St. George's United A.O.T.S. Club, through its president, William Rickson, introduced W. S. Rawlings, superintendent of the Vancouver Parks, who spoke for about an hour on "City Beautiful." In the course of his address Mr. Rawlings showed the very close relationship between his subject and town planning. The orderly laying out of streets and boulevards, the proper landscaping of school grounds would come under either heading. The educational value of proper surroundings for the schools was pointed out.

The realization of the need for civic improvement was a big step in the right direction in itself, and town planning, after all, was really the application of common sense. It was absolutely necessary, however, to have a carefully prepared programme in order to get definite and permanent results. It was undoubtedly a city's duty to make itself attractive these days, considering the immense value of the tourist, who will undoubtedly visit places which please.

The provision of open spaces within the city is the basis of town planning, the speaker said, thus insuring an abundance of fresh air, trees and shrubs. The cost of acquiring these improvements is more than offset by the increased value of the property affected. Various kinds of open spaces, from the community park to the children's playground, were described, as was the care and placing of boulevard trees.

Mr. Rawlings gave some valuable suggestions regarding the improvement of the Lewis park and the agricultural grounds here, and showed how these could be made at a very small cost. At the close of his remarks he answered questions concerning the financing of the maintenance of the boulevards and the care of trees. Mayor Macintyre proposed the vote of thanks, which was seconded by C. F. Smith and heartily accorded.

Campbell River Board Executive Is Elected

CAMPBELL RIVER, March 24.—The Board of Trade met last Thursday evening for the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, H. Pidcock; vice-president, Dr. R. Ziegler; secretary-treasurer, George Ross. The executive committee is as follows: Charles Thulin, Carl O Thulin, J. Forbes, J. English, F. Gagne, C. Fitzgerald, J. Tucker, F. McCarthy, Joyce, and O. Wester.

EGG-LAYING CONTEST

Results in the Royal Standard egg laying contest, conducted by the Vancouver Milling & Grain Co., for week No. 26, ending March 20, were:

	Eggs for week	Total eligible eggs
S. C. W. L.—		
A. Adams, Victoria	45	686
Wm. B. Anderson, Vancouver	44	721
W. D. Anderson, Haney	40	774
R. E. Ault, Sandwick	44	777
Bolivar Hatcheries, Cloverdale	34	581
W. Bradley, Langford	43	751
E. H. Broderick, Burnaby	34	799
P. Darbey & Son, Hammond	49	813
F. J. Ebben, Cloverdale	55	866
F. C. Evans, Abbotsford	57	*1,173
Frank Eve, Aldergrove	46	718
Farrington Bros., New W'ster	63	848
C. Grocock & Son, New W'str	55	1,023
M. L. Homan, Cowichan	45	844
J. W. Isherwood, Kamloops	38	728
F. Jones, New Westminster	52	744
F. Lucas, Cowichan	50	874
S. C. Lee, Sidney	45	705
Doug. Miller, Langley Prairie	46	909
J. B. Moore, Milner	31	831
Wm. Philip, Nanaimo	56	578
N. E. Plaxton, Victoria	29	534
H. Quinn, Nanaimo	51	812
J. J. Smith, Lynn Valley	41	[illegible]
Jas. Smith, Nanaimo	48	865
R. J. Speers, Lynn Valley	40	[illegible]
J. W. Spence, New W'minster	47	789
A. E. J. Willis, Sardis	37	603
Wilson Bros., New W'minster	32	709
Jas. Woodbury, New W'ster	40	781
R.I.R.—		
E. B. Cole, Vancouver	56	760
W. Maynard, Vancouver	46	[illegible]
R.I.R. Club of Amer., Vancr.	28	497
Dan Russell, New Westminster	54	908
Barred Plymouth Rocks—		
A. Hushan, Cloverdale	50	787
Mrs. C. J. Lambert, Sidney	37	457
J. Lambie, County Line	31	594
A. E. Nix, Victoria	34	408
Buff Rocks—		
Chaplin & Oswald, Salt Spg. I.	37	643
White Wyandottes—		
Mrs. A. J. Druet, Vancouver	43	788
Idiens Bros., Comox	33	714
Wedgene P'ltry Farm, Comox	41	594
Light Sussex—		
R. V. Robinson, Royal Oak	45	793
Vic. & Dis. I.P. Club, Victoria	24	519
Seg Linked W.W. and R.I.R. Cross—		
H. C. Anderson, Hammond	39	659
Idiens Bros., Comox	44	779
Total eggs for week		1,981
Ineligible and floor eggs		16
		1,965

High bird, F. C. Evans, Nos. 1 and 7, 128 eggs; high pen for week, Farrington Bros., 63 eggs; leading pen, F. C. Evans, 1,173 eggs; average weight per dozen, 33.03 ounces; production, 61.67%.

FURTHER GRANT OF $5,000 MADE

Provincial Gov't Gives Additional Assistance to Employment in Nanaimo

NANAIMO, March 24.—The regular meeting of the local council was held last evening.

A motion by Alderman Dixon, chairman of the lighting committee, passed unanimously that the council get in touch with the Western Fuel Corporation, or some other company, for the supplying of light to the city. In seconding the motion, Alderman Bennett said the Nanaimo Electric Light Company had completely ignored their last communication and they didn't seem to be getting anywhere in regards to satisfactory light rates.

Alderman Barsby said that the lighting committee should find out exactly how much it would cost to install a pulverized coal plant which could supply the city with light.

Adjutant Sharp, of the Salvation Army, asked that the council include them as usual when bringing in the estimates.

Dan Kirkbride, secretary of the unemployed, wrote asking why some men who were not ratepayers, or even users of the local water system, be given jobs, and why local men had been discriminated against.

Alderman Inkster, in moving that the letter be filed, said he did not know that any man had been discriminated against.

Nick Wright, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, wrote asking the council to defer the new garbage by-law until the association had taken the matter up with the council.

Alderman Javalsky said a meeting had been arranged for Wednesday afternoon, when a discussion of the by-law will take place.

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Mayor Hall stated that he, in company with Aldermen Bennett and John Shaw, had interviewed the Minister of Education regarding the new school act. The minister explained the act to them, and told them that he had set as his goal a standard wage for teachers, half of the teacher's salary to be paid by the city and the other half by the Government. In case the school board wished to pay a teacher more this would come under the head of extraordinary expense, and the school board would have to pay the extra cost itself.

$5,000 GRANT

Mayor Hall and Alderman Bennett interviewed the Minister of Public Works and received a further grant of $5,000 for the unemployed.

They also interviewed the Provincial Secretary, and he stated that if they had seen him six weeks previously no doubt it could have been arranged the Government would go fifty-fifty with the council in the building of an isolation hospital. As it was now, the estimates were all passed for this year, and he advised them to take up the matter with him between sessions.

Garbage Collection By-law No. 487, 1931, passed its first and second readings and will be brought up in committee as a whole at a special meeting.

INDOOR BOWLING

NANAIMO, March 24.—On the local bowling alleys last evening, in a Commercial League game, the Davenports took two out of three games from the Bankers, with J. McCansh, for the Bankers, high scorer with 320 and high average with 252.

In a second Commercial League fixture the Lumbermen took three games from Ladysmith, with F. McKenzie for the Lumbermen high scorer with 337 and high average with 256, and also won the prize offered by the Bowling Alleys for a score of over 325. F. McKenzie is a young player this season, and has made great strides in the game, both in five and tenpins, and is selected to represent Scotland in the tenpin international.

ALLEGED SWINDLER IS COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Charged as "Attorney Dixon," who, with John Greenwood, is alleged to have swindled Mrs. Agnes Brewer, Richards Street, out of sums aggregating $260 on promises of obtaining a divorce for her, George Kennedy, alias J. R. Dixon, alias J. Ross, was committed by Police Magistrate H. C. Shaw for trial. The charge was one of obtaining money by false pretences.

Greenwood, who was convicted a week ago in connection with the affair, appeared today for sentence, but was remanded to Thursday.

Harlesden Man: "I got fed up with calling at the Labor Exchange, so now I am practically looking for work."

New Viceroy Honored at Banquet

THIS picture was taken when the Pilgrims' Club held a banquet in London, England, in honor of Earl Willingdon, new Viceroy of India, and, until recently, Governor-General of Canada. The group photographed above is as follows, left to right: Duke of York, Earl Willingdon, Lord Desborough, and General Dawes, United States Ambassador to Great Britain.

MOUNTAINS FORM LECTURE THEME

Rev. R. Connell, Eminent Geologist, Addresses Victoria Centre of Astronomical Society

The mountains of Vancouver Island are folded mountains which have been subject to erosion, Rev. Robert Connell, eminent Vancouver Island geologist, told members of the Victoria Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society, at their regular meeting at Victoria College, last night.

Speaking of the Metchosin and Sooke districts, Mr. Connell stated that the great mass of rock there was volcanic, while the mountains were comparatively young. The oldest rocks on Vancouver Island are supposed to be found at Goldstream, and these are, for the greater part, a black slaty rock. The oldest undoubted and recognized rocks are found at the north end of Vancouver Island.

Mr. Connell pointed out that all mountains were subject to erosion in wearing down to the surface, and that the changes were gradual. In rising of rocks, quite the opposite is noted, with sudden shifts of from ten to twenty, or even thirty feet.

Speaking on the radio activity of the world, he said that it would take between fifteen and thirty million years for this activity to get to melting point.

N. C. Stewart thanked Mr. Connell for his interesting and educational address and moved a hearty vote of thanks. Dr. C. S. Beals, president, also extended his personal thanks to the speaker.

The highly unclad state of the African aborigines, shown in the movie exploration films, gives us to wonder what they do with our old pants, etc., that are sent them from time to time.

JUNIOR SYMPHONY WILL MAKE DEBUT

The Victoria Junior Symphony Orchestra, organized some time ago under the direction of Harold Taylor, a well-known 'cellist of the city, will give its first concert on Friday evening in the High School auditorium.

This interesting ensemble, comprising fifty-seven instruments played by boys and girls, is presenting a remarkably interesting programme. The full orchestra will play only six of the fourteen items, but with the exception of a small group of vocal numbers by Helen Ockenden, all other items will be instrumental, by members of the orchestra, these additional numbers to be by a string quartette, the woodwind part of the orchestra, flute, bassoon and 'cello soloists, a string quartette, and a trio composed of violin, 'cello and piano.

Choir Is to Give Concert at Oak Bay

On Friday, March 27, at 8 p.m., the choir of Oak Bay United will give a concert in the main auditorium of the Oak Bay United Church, situated at the corner of Mitchell and Granite Streets, consisting of vocal solos, instrumental and choral music and elocution. The choir will be assisted by the following well known artists: Mrs. Gladys Stark, contralto; Mrs. A. W. Stokes, soprano; H. Nancarrow, tenor; Maidwyn Humphries, baritone; J. Petrie, bass; Sydney Barker, elocutionist; Chris Miller, violinist, and Ernest Semple's violin ensemble, with Miss Kathleen Irving at the piano.

BOY SCOUT TROOP TO ENTERTAIN THEIR FRIENDS ON FRIDAY

The Third Victoria (St. Barnabas) Troop and Pack are entertaining their parents and friends at the new Scout Hall, corner of Johnson and Cook Streets, on Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Lord Colville, district commissioner, and W. Solway, executive commissioner for British Columbia, will give a short talk during the evening.

The Scouts and Cubs have been working hard to make the affair a success and they hope to have all their parents and friends present. Refreshments will be served.

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In Intestinal Fatigue, food material that has escaped digestion accumulates and stagnates in your intestinal tract. Poisons form. Your blood is polluted. You feel the effects in bad digestion, bad breath, bad skin—in loss of appetite and pep. And—in a majority of cases—you suffer from headaches and "nerves."

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But these rewards come only to those who act! So go to your grocer, or to a restaurant, drug store or soda fountain and get a supply of Fleischmann's Yeast. Eat three cakes a day—before meals, or between meals and at bedtime—plain or in a third of a glass of water (hot or cold) or any way you like.

Keep it up, too! Be patient. Give yeast time. Remember, you are not taking a drug. You are eating a food for the sake of correcting a trouble that has been developing for years.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC TODAY

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Crew of Four Will Attempt Voyage to South Sea Islands

Twenty-Three-Foot Yawl Now Being Made Ready for Adventurous 30,000-Mile Cruise in Romantic Waters of the Southern Pacific

Early next week, the twenty-three-foot yawl Viking will leave Seattle for a ten weeks' cruise up the coast to Southeastern Alaska. The object of the voyage is to test the seaworthiness of the craft as well as the mettle of the crew, for more ambitious things are premeditated. If everything goes right, on the return of the little yawl to Seattle she will provision and outfit for two years of cruising among the South Sea Islands.

Those far away islands in the South Pacific have been calling to four Seattle men for some time, and the call will be answered in June next. The Viking was recently purchased for the purpose by Horace Kelsey, twenty-five years old, who will have as his companions on the Alaska trip and maybe to the South Seas, D. M. Clippinger, architect, designer of the Washington Athletic Club and other outstanding buildings of architectural beauty in the Sound city; John Hulberg, an able seaman, and Willis A. Rand, a high school boy and son of the Boys' Parental School superintendent, of Mercer Island.

MAY DISAGREE

No thought of danger apparently has entered the minds of the four adventurers. Their greatest concern is that in such cramped quarters even the best of friends may fall into disagreement. For this reason they are making the trip to Alaska. Returning from the northern voyage, they plan, according to Kelsey, to spend some time in exploring the Gulf of California, going from there to Panama and cruising down the coast to Valparaiso, stopping en route at the Galapagos Islands.

It is their intention to remain at the Galapagos Islands until February, the most favorable month for striking out across the Pacific. According to Kelsey they will then have the advantage of the trade winds, and, though out of the way of shipping, should not be lonesome. There are many islands that can be visited. Their first stop out of Valparaiso will be at the island of Juan Fernandez, reputed home of Robinson Crusoe and his good man Friday. From there they will head towards the Easter Islands, and from these islands will stop in succession at the Marquesas, the Society Islands, Tonga Islands, Fiji, New Hebrides, Solomon Islands, Gilbert Islands, Marshall Islands, the Marianas, and thence 3,000 miles eastward to the Hawaiian Islands, from whence another 3,000-mile shift will bring them back to Puget Sound.

AN EVEN BREAK

"Judging by the rates we would have to pay for insurance for our yawl," said Kelsey, "we have a fifty-fifty chance of getting back safely. The insurance companies want a premium of about 50 per cent. But we're trying to make the trip for $5,000 and are eliminating insurance charges."

The adventurers figure the Viking will take them along at the rate of 100 miles a day, and twenty-three days they reckon is the longest period they will be out of sight of land. If the yawl should become dismasted and lose her sails, the crew will have to depend upon a small six-horsepower motor engine for driving power. The Viking is eight years old, and is considered a good sea boat by Puget Sound yachtsmen.

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Lv. Seattle	9:00 a.m.
Ar. Victoria	1:15 p.m.

HARBOR BOARD ACCEPTS BOAT

Car Ferry From San Francisco Satisfactory to Mainland Port Authority

VANCOUVER, March 24.—The car ferry which was brought here a few days ago from San Francisco has been accepted by the harbor board and is now the property of the port authority. Work of getting the Government tugboat Point Grey in commission to handle the ferry barge is proceeding.

Pending construction of a slip on this side of the inlet, the harbor board is carrying on as in the past, with a service provided by Canadian Pacific Railway tug and car ferry, and it is expected that this service will continue for the next three weeks, by which time the board will have its own equipment ready.

PROSPECTS OF TRADE BRIGHT

Siamese Consul-General for Canada Tells of Present Conditions

VANCOUVER, March 24.—After a two-year trip abroad, Captain W. J. M. Watson-Armstrong, Siamese Consul-General for Canada, has returned to Vancouver.

Captain Watson-Armstrong expressed himself as highly gratified with trade between Canada and Siam, which he declared had increased 400 per cent during the past three years. "At present, owing to the fact that hundreds of thousands of dollars of exports are transshipped at Hongkong, it is difficult to calculate the exact total of trade between the two countries," he asserted.

Siam is now a large importer of Canadian canned salmon, electrical supplies, rubber products and numerous other lines, the consul-general pointed out.

"Canada reciprocates by importing large quantities of rice from Siam," he said. "It is quite evident that the future trade between the two countries will increase steadily."

LONGSHOREMEN TORN LIMB FROM LIMB BY VESSEL'S PROPELLER

ISTANBUL, March 24 (AP).—Word was received here today that fourteen Turkish longshoremen had been torn to pieces on March 17 in Zongouldak Harbor by the propeller of the German boat Mexico.

The men had approached alongside the Mexico in a rowboat, when the engines were unexpectedly started, the report said, tearing the occupants of the small boat limb from limb.

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Cracked Ice Was Used for Naming Submarine Craft

NEW YORK, March 24.—They used cracked ice today to christen the Nautilus, the reconditioned submarine in which Sir Hubert Wilkins plans to cross the Arctic Ocean this Summer. The cracked ice was contained in a small silver barrel perched on the prow of the vessel. Lady Wilkins yanked a string and the barrel discharged its eminently symbolical contents—symbolic because the Nautilus will attempt to cross the top of the world under ice floes, coming up now and again for air and observations.

WILL VISIT BIRTHPLACE

Number of Canadians to Attend Shakespeare Festival

MEMORIAL THEATRE IS BEING REBUILT

Information was received this week at the offices of the Cunard Line to the effect that the Ausonia, which sails from Halifax on March 30, will carry a number of Canadians en route to attend the Shakespeare Birthday Festival, which will take place at Stratford-on-Avon from April 13 to May 16.

Arthur Randles, general passenger traffic manager of the Cunard Line in Canada, in discussing this festival with the press, pointed out that at Stratford-on-Avon, the place of William Shakespeare's birth, boyhood experiences, mature accomplishment and death, the visitor can find the same tranquillity and beauty, the same aloofness from the petty hub-bub of materialistic progress, that inspired the greatest of poets to voice the inneramost and noblest sentiments that dwell in the heart of the race.

"These sentiments," said Mr. Randles, "so expressed, have become so embedded in the conscience and mentality of humankind that every living man is, in more or less degree, influenced by Shakespeare's interpretation of human life as he saw it three hundred years ago at Stratford-on-Avon.

"The theatre, which will house the production of these plays, was founded fifty years ago for the purpose of keeping alive on the acting stage all of the plays that are known to have been written by Shakespeare, and is known as the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre.

"This memorial theatre was not founded without a great many difficulties and setbacks, but was accorded a brilliant reception when opened in 1879. In 1926 it was destroyed by fire and is being replaced by a far more magnificent structure, towards the building of which every nation in the world has contributed. Pending the completion of this building, the Festival Company continues its work revealing the spirit of Shakespeare in a temporary home at Stratford-on-Avon.

"During the Summer Festival, which is scheduled to take place from June 29 to September 12, there will be found convenient weekly sailings to Great Britain and the Continent by Cunard and Anchor-Donaldson liners," said Mr. Randles.

SOUTHERN CLOUD STILL MISSING

Wings of Aeroplane Reported in Ravine—Kingsford-Smith Resumes Search

MELBOURNE, March 24 (AP).—The air liner Southern Cloud, missing with seven occupants for four days, still was sought today by a score of planes and a thousand men on foot.

After scouring the bush for hours, one party reported they had sighted what they believed were the wings of an airplane in a ravine in the Strathbole Ranges, about eighty miles from here. With dusk coming on, it was impossible to proceed further and the search in that region will be continued tomorrow.

Wing Commander Charles Kingsford-Smith again plunged into the hunt following the installation of a new propeller on his plane to replace the one he broke in a forced landing yesterday.

SHIP IS DELAYED

Due to arrive here on March 30, the Pacific Shipper, Furness liner from United Kingdom ports, will be five days late in arriving, according to King Brothers, agents here for the line. She is now expected here on April 4, with cargo for local discharge.

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Takes to the Air Again

LADY Mary Heath, president of the Women's International Aeronautical Association, seriously injured in an air crash in August, 1930, is shown here as she took her airplane into the air at Curtiss Field, Valley Stream, N.Y., recently, for the second time since her accident. She made her first solo flight of thirty minutes' duration the day previous.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, March 24 (AP).—Arrived: Admiral Peoples, Los Angeles; Akagisan Maru, Yokohama; Julia Luckenbach, Tacoma; Gresalia, Glasgow; Olympic, Otaru; Eleedro, San Francisco. Sailed: Panaman, W. Chamberlain, Jr., Maliko, Point Bonita, Tacoma; Villanger, Buenos Aires; Utaearbon, Los Angeles; Dorothy Wintermote, Sound ports.

PORTLAND, March 24.—Arrived: P. S. Loop, San Francisco; San Julian, Tacoma; Munami, Los Angeles; San Rafael, Philadelphia; Charles Nelson, Tacoma; Ms. Charlie Watson, San Francisco. Sailed: Eureka, Los Angeles; Ms. Portland, Hamburg; Stanwood, San Francisco; Charles Nelson, Baltimore; Recorder, Liverpool; Nebraskan, Boston.

TACOMA, March 24.—Arrived: Point Bonita, Mobile; Maliko, Honolulu; Petroleum No. 2, Point Wells; W. R. Chamberlain, Jr., Los Angeles; Panaman, Boston; Caddopeak, Everett; Point San Pedro, San Francisco. Sailed: Admiral Wiley, Los Angeles; Julia Luckenbach, Mobile; Point Bonita, Mobile; Gresalia, Glasgow; Delftdyk, Rotterdam; Petroleum No. 2, Point Wells; Point San Pedro, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24 (AP).—Arrived: President Grant, San Pedro; Admiral Dewey, Astoria; Santiam, Aberdeen; Emma Alexander, San Pedro; Luthero, Seattle; Tennessee, Bremerton. Sailed: Taiyo Maru, Hongkong; San Jose, Vancouver; Chaumont, Hampton Roads; Esther Johnson, Grays Harbor; Lillian Luckenbach, Seattle; Portland; Emma Alexander, Victoria; Munleon, Wapama, Glymont, San Pedro; Mathew Luckenbach, New Orleans.

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Arrived: Steel Ranger, Baltimore. March 23.—San Simeon, Philadelphia and New Westminster; Elmworth, Shanghai.

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 23.—Sailed: San Simeon, Vancouver.

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NEW YORK, March 24.—Havana Maru, Columbia, San Francisco.

JACKSONVILLE, March 24.—Tashmoo, San Francisco.

MANILA, March 24.—Shinyo Maru, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, March 23.—Michisan, San Francisco; Niel Maersk, San Pedro.

SHANGHAI, March 23.—Hokuroku Maru, San Pedro.

ROTTERDAM, March 23.—Navasota, San Pedro.

LIVERPOOL, March 23.—Loch Katrine, San Francisco.

OSAKA, March 22.—Gyokuh Maru, Grays Harbor.

HAVRE, March 21.—Childar, San Francisco.

SAILED

WELLINGTON, March 24.—Monowei, San Francisco.

ANTWERP, March 23.—Axel Johnson, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Spencer Kellogg, Empire Arrow, San Pedro.

BALTIMORE, March 24.—Vermer, Absaroka, San Pedro.

PANAMA CANAL, March 23.—Passed, bound west: West Cape, Philadelphia for San Francisco; Mobile City, New York for Vancouver; El Salvador, New York for San Francisco.

Weather Report

ESTEVAN — Clear; northwest, strong; 30... sea rough.

PACHENA — Part cloudy; northwest, st... 46, sea rough.

CARMANAH — Clear; southwest, strong; 29... sea rough.

SWIFTSURE—Clear; strong west gale; 30.08; 48, sea rough.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)

PRINCESS MAQUINNA—Kyuquot at 4 p.m., northbound.

DEROCHE — San Pedro for Ioco, 325 miles from Ioco.

ADMIRAL PEOPLES—San Francisco for Seattle, 28 miles from Seattle.

TEXADA—Powell River for Los Angeles, 670 miles from Los Angeles.

CADARETTA—Seattle for San Francisco, 375 miles from San Francisco.

J. A. MOFFATT—San Pedro for Portland, 554 miles from Portland.

J. C. FITZSIMMONS — Port Wells for Elwood, 295 miles from Port Wells.

CAPTAIN A. F. LUCAS—Richmond for Seattle, 255 miles from Seattle.

PACIFIC SPRUCE — Aberdeen for Bellingham, 13 miles north of Grays Harbor.

LINDENBANK — San Pedro for Yokohama, 400 miles from San Francisco.

NIAGARA — Honolulu for Victoria, 760 miles from Estevan.

Transpacific Mails

MARCH, 1931

CHINA AND JAPAN

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close March 7, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 20; Shanghai, March 24; Hongkong, March 27.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close March 14, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 26; Shanghai, March 30; Hongkong, April 2.

*HIKAWA MARU (via Vancouver)—Mail closes March 18, 11:15 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 1.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON — Mails close March 21, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 3; Shanghai, April 7; Hongkong, April 10.

*HEIAN MARU (via Vancouver)—Mails close March 27, 11:15 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 10.

†EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close March 28, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 12; Shanghai, April 15; Hongkong, April 16.

*Mail for Japan only.

†Carries mail to Honolulu.

NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA

AORANGI—Mails close March 4, 3 p.m. Due at Auckland March 23; Sydney, March 28.

‡MAKURA (via San Francisco)—Mail closes March 15, 11:15 p.m. Due at Wellington April 6.

‡VENTURA (via San Francisco)—Mail closes March 16, 11:15 p.m. Due at Sydney April 9.

NIAGARA—Mail closes April 1, 5 p.m. Due at Auckland April 20; Sydney, April 25.

‡Mail for New Zealand only.

§Mail for Australia and Fiji only.

British Mails

SS. AUSONIA—Mails close 1:15 p.m., March 23.

SS. EUROPA (via New York)—Mails close 3:15 p.m., March 25.

SS. DUCHESS OF ATHOLL—Mails close 1:15 p.m., March 26.

SS. OLYMPIC (via New York)—Mails close 3:15 p.m., March 28.

SS. BRITANNIC (via New York)—Mails close 3:15 p.m., March 29.

Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When forwarded by air over United States lines, mail sent via New York can be posted two days later than the dates indicated above.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Mails close 1:15 p.m., March 25.

JAMAICA

Mails close 1:15 p.m., March 25 and March 27.

Canadian Air Mail Service

Mails close, Victoria, 11:15 p.m., Monday.
Leave Calgary 9:00 p.m., Wednesday.
Arrive Lethbridge 10:05 p.m., Wednesday.
Arrive Medicine Hat 11:25 p.m., Wednesday.
Arrive Moose Jaw 1:55 a.m., Thursday.
Arrive Regina 2:40 a.m., Thursday.
Arrive Saskatoon 11:00 a.m., Thursday.
Arrive Winnipeg 7:00 a.m., Thursday.
Service is daily, including Sunday.

Correspondence sent by steamer and train all the way, closing at Victoria 11:15 p.m., Monday, reaches Winnipeg 5 p.m., Thursday, too late for delivery that day.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Philippines, China and Japan, March 7.

HEIAN MARU — China and Japan, March 13.

DELFTDYK—United Kingdom and Continent, March 13.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN — Philippines, China and Japan, March 20.

EMPRESS OF CANADA — Philippines, China and Japan, March 21.

NIAGARA—Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, March 27.

MANILA MARU — China and Japan, March 28.

TO DEPART

PRESIDENT TAFT—Japan, China and Philippines.

SHIDZZUOKA MARU—Japan and China, March 4.

AORANGI — Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Japan, China and Philippines, March 14.

HIKAWA MARU (from Vancouver)—Japan and China, March 18.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Japan, China and Philippines, March 21.

HEIAN MARU (from Vancouver)—Japan and China, March 27.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines, March 28.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

Mails close 1:15 p.m., March 5, 16, 26, April 6, via Vancouver.

Mails close 3:15 p.m., March 13, 17, 27, 30, via Seattle.

Honolulu Mails

VIA SAN FRANCISCO—Mails close 11:15 p.m., March 7, 8, 10, 16, 17, 18, 22, 24, 28, April 1, 5, 6, 7.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close 4:00 p.m., March 28.

NIAGARA—Mails close 5:00 p.m., April 1.

The manager of the chemical works was showing a friend over the factory.

"What has become of Joe Smith?" asked the visitor. "He was here a couple of months ago, wasn't he?"

"Ah," said the manager, sadly, "Poor Joe—poor Joe!" and he sighed deeply.

"Why, what happened to him?" asked the friend, anxiously.

"Poor fellow! He was a good man, but absentminded in the use of chemicals—very." He paused and looked up. "Do you see that slight discoloration on the ceiling?"

"Yes."

"Well, that's Joe."

Wife (as they return from party): "Do you realize what you did?"

Husband: "No, but I'll admit it was wrong. What was it?"

Projected World Flight Becomes Home Town Boost

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 24 (AP).—The projected round-the-world flight of Wiley Post and Harold Gatty today developed into a home town affair, through announcement of F. C. Hall, oilman backer, that he had selected Chickasha, Okla., his former home, as the starting point and finish line.

FIRE BURNS SEINE BOAT

Crew Rescued by Kildonan Fishing Craft at Considerable Risk

CRAFT WAS VALUED AT ABOUT $20,000

A disastrous marine fire took place on Monday evening at about 10 o'clock near Junction Pass, Alberni Canal, some twenty-four miles from the town of Port Alberni. The large sixty-foot seine boat, Martha No. 2, G. S. Kariya, Steveston, was burned to the water's edge and presumably sunk in 100 fathoms of water, as searchers were unable to find any trace of her.

The flames were first noticed by residents of Kildonan, five miles from the scene of the accident. Scenting a catastrophe, the fishing boat Green Cove No. 2 was dispatched to investigate. In the light of the flames, the rescuers could see that the crew was still on board, and at great risk to the Green Cove she was hove to alongside and took off the crew.

The Martha No. 2 was wrecked on Clayoquot Sound about ten days ago and towed to Port Alberni by a tugboat. Repairs had just been completed at the Port Alberni Marine Railway and she was on her way to the fishing grounds. She had just been released, before starting by the marine underwriters. The vessel was valued at about $20,000. E. B. Stone, of Port Alberni, acting for the marine underwriters, is in charge of the matter for the San Francisco board of marine underwriters.

TUG FLOATED BY SALVAGE VESSEL

Pacific Mills Craft Sustained Damages to Extent of Three Thousand Dollars

It was announced here yesterday afternoon that the Pacific Salvage Company's Ms. Salvage Princess returned to Vancouver from up the Coast after successfully floating the Pacific Mills tugboat John M., which drove ashore on a reef near Ocean Falls on March 17. The Salvage Princess had been dispatched to the scene of the stranding shortly afterwards. Damage sustained by the John M. are estimated about $3,000. The craft is thirty-eight feet long and was built in 1920.

Jack—Dad, what are ancestors?

Dad—Well, my boy, I'm one of your ancestors. Your grandfather is another.

"Then why do people brag about them?"

Experts Iron Out Problems Arising From Treaty Draft

Spokesman of British Officials Engaged in Putting the Pact in Order Deny Any Unusual Developments in Connection With Matter

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Commenting on reports from Rome that difficulties had arisen, it was said in official British circles today that problems encountered in the drafting of the tripartite naval treaty were being ironed out by experts.

Denying there were any unusual developments, spokesmen said a week or more of work remains to be done, but the pact would be drawn up by the scheduled time.

The action of Foreign Minister Dino Grandi of Italy, in sending his regrets to the Pan-Europa meeting in Paris, instead of attending, was attributed in Rome to the purported disagreement. Grandi thought it wiser, it was believed, to allow the British to handle the situation while he avoided direct contact with the French in Paris.

TOURIST THIRD WILL TRAVEL SECOND CABIN

It has been announced by the Cunard Line that, beginning with the eastbound sailing, April 29, of the R.M.S. Mauretania, second cabin passenger space will be turned over to tourist third.

Passengers already booked second cabin may retain the same space if they so wish, when an adjustment in fares will be made, or they can have the offer of cabin accommodations, without additional collection, on other ships.

This change in the accommodation of the Mauretania second cabin to tourist third will be a distinct advantage to those passengers who are anxious to travel quickly across the Atlantic on a large fast liner at a reasonable rate.

FLOOD RENDERS AIRPORT UNFIT

Lulu Island, Temporary Landing Place for Air Craft, Closed

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Flood has rendered two-thirds of the field at Lulu Island temporary airport unfit for use. The port has been closed until reconditioned, by order of R. Carter-Guest, district inspector of civil aviation. William Templeton, airport manager, has been notified and has, in turn, advised airports in Canada and United States.

Flooding of the temporary field, which was to have been used until April 26, will probably mean that every efforts will be made to transfer flying activities to the new Sea Island field before that date.

ALL FRENCH RECORDS FOR CLOSED CIRCUIT FLYING ARE SMASHED

ISTRES, France, March 24 (AP).—Joseph Lebrix, former flying partner of Dieudonne Coste, landed the airplane Hyphen at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon, smashing practically all French records for closed circuit flying with a heavy load. He had been aloft 32 hours 17 minutes and 58 seconds.

He thus evened the score with Coste, who had previously broken Lebrix's records for distance over a closed circuit with 1,000 kilo metre, and for endurance with a 500 kilo burden.

TO NEW YORK IN FAST TIME

Forty Hours to Eastern Metropolis Now Possible From Victoria

A steamer-plane service connecting Victoria and New York, utilizing a thirty-one and one-half hour plane service from Seattle to New York, was announced yesterday by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau.

Passengers arriving in Seattle on the evening boat, depart at 8:30 the following morning on a trimotored passenger transport and arrive in New York at 7:11 o'clock the following evening.

This is the second expansion Boeing System has announced during the month affecting Victoria, as this company has just inaugurated daylight trimotored passenger plane service between San Francisco Bay and Seattle, where connections are made by plane or steamer to Victoria.

WILL DOCK FOR SPRING CLEANUP

Ss. Princess Marguerite in Today—Will Return to Run on April 4

For annual Spring overhaul, the B.C. Coast Service ferry ship Ss. Princess Marguerite will be floated into the Government drydock at Esquimalt today, where Yarrows Limited have the contract for the work. The Marguerite will be again commissioned on Saturday, April 4, when she will relieve the Ss. Princess Kathleen on the afternoon run, according to an announcement made at the local offices of the service yesterday.

It was further stated that the Ss. Princess Alice will start on the Alaska run on April 5, and will make six round trips, April 5, 15, 26, and May 6, 17 and 27, when the Summer tourist season will be ushered in with the Ss. Princess Louise taking the run on June 5, followed by the Ss. Princess Charlotte on June 12, the Princess Louise on June 16, and the Princess Alice on June 19.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, March 24. — The freighter Romulus, now in port, has been chartered full with grain for Greece, through Dale & Company. She is now loading at the pool elevator.

Ms. Elmworth arrived at 9 o'clock Monday evening to Canadian Transport Company, Ltd., to load for Shanghai with grain and lumber.

Ss. Steel Ranger entered the harbor this morning to B. W. Greer & Son, Ltd.

The tugs Lorna Foss and Martha Foss, from Seattle, arrived in port yesterday and left again with four booms of logs for mills on Puget Sound, according to King Brothers, who act as agents for the tugboat company here.

Fog Is Cause of Collisions in Estuary of Elbe

HAMBURG, March 24 (AP).—Ten severely damaged ocean-going steamers limped into port today after collisions in the fog in the Elbe estuary yesterday. The latest casualty reported was the ramming of the Danish motorship Peru by the British ship Hepburn. The Peru was badly damaged.

The North German Lloyd liner Bremen docked safely today for overhauling.

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Leave Swartz Bay	9:30 A.M.	4:15 P.M.

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Passengers	25c One Way; 50c Return
Automobiles	75c to $1.50, According to Weight
Trucks	$1.25 to $2.00, According to Size

DRIVERS FREE

At The Playhouses

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Sue Carol, who has portrayed chorus girls and society girls through most of her screen career, gives a new characterization in "The Big Party," the Fox Movietone musical laugh-hit closing today at the Playhouse Theatre. Miss Carol takes the part of a piano-player in a five-and-ten store, and "jazzes" the newest melodies for the benefit of the customers.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Montagu Love, who plays the heavy in "Back Pay," starring Corinne Griffith, which closes today at the Columbia Theatre, was a well known newspaper artist in London several years before he began his stage career. Love is particularly adept at drawing animals and illustrated articles in many magazines devoted to sports in addition to his newspaper assignments.

COLISEUM THEATRE Naturalists and statisticians of vital facts agree that the tiger is one of the most dangerous animals living in the world today. These beasts kill thousands of men, women and children annually in the equatorial regions where they live. Tigers in their natural state will be seen in "Rango," showing at the Coliseum Theatre.

CAPITOL THEATRE "Consulting Dialectician" is the title bestowed by Director Frank Lloyd upon the noted Australian actor and director, Wilfred Lucas, in connection with First National's production, "The Right of Way," at the Capitol Theatre last times today. It was his job during the filming of "The Right of Way" to supervise the French-Canadian and a number of other dialects used, since Lucas, who lived in Canada for years, and has written and spoken the Canuck dialects in humorous skits, is one of the foremost experts on them.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Capitol—Conrad Nagel and Loretta Young in "Right of Way."

Coliseum—"Rango" an animal picture.

Columbia—Corinne Griffith in "Back Pay."

Dominion—"Inspiration," starring Greta Garbo.

Playhouse—Sue Carol, in "The Big Party."

Royal — The Hart House Quartette.

Crystal Garden — Swimming, Dancing and Miniature Golf.

Had Your SWIM This Week?
It's a tonic that will keep you fit!
Crystal Garden

WHAT A TALKIE! WHAT A LAUGHIE! WHAT A SCREAMIE!
SEE THE PEPPY BRITISH BURLESQUE
Not So Quiet on the Western Front
With 100 Song and Dance Artists
Including the New Screen Comedian
LESLIE FULLER
A British International Picture
STARTS SATURDAY AT THE
COLISEUM

CAPITOL
LAST TIMES TODAY
Sir Gilbert Parker's
Famous Canadian Romance
"The Right of Way"
Co-Starring
CONRAD NAGEL AND LORETTA YOUNG
Added Sound Specialties
CHARLIE CHASE
In the All-Talking Comedy
"ROUGH SEA"
"Peeps at Pekin"
A Scenic Specialty
"Strange As It Seems"
A Novelty Reel
Universal Sound News
Usual Prices
Bargain Mat. Daily at 12 Noon
Adults, 20c; Children, 10c

GRETA GARBO IN GREAT PICTURE

"Inspiration," at Dominion Theatre, Is Story of Artistic Life in Paris

What an "Inspiration" Greta Garbo is!

In her new talkie of that name, which opens today at the Dominion Theatre for a three-day run, Garbo had no need to exert herself to be accepted convincingly as the inspiration of the foremost artists, writers, sculptors, poets and composers of Paris. She is all of that, more glamorous than we have ever beheld her before, more alluring, more elusive—all that an inspiration should be—even in Paris.

The story has a racy, modern background and is based upon a theme of tragic sacrifice with Robert Montgomery as the provincial lover for whom Yvonne, the heroine, turns her romantic world topsy-turvy.

Montgomery, in his initial appearance with the exotic star, registers splendidly and is certain to find himself more popular than ever by reason of his performances.

Lewis Stone, without whom no Garbo picture seems complete, adds another superb characterization to his glowing record, and Marjorie Rambeau, of the stage, renders an outstanding depiction of a somewhat passe demi-mondaine with a passion of cocktails and composers.

QUARTETTE WILL OPEN IN VICTORIA TONIGHT

"It is so nice to see you again after all these months, Mr. X," and Mr. X, whether it be in Halifax, Victoria or New York, looks pleased and surprised as Milton Blackstone, of the Hart House String Quartette, which will appear at the Royal Victoria Theatre tonight, shakes his hand and reminds him of an incident which occurred in that particular city on the quartette's last visit. "It's a special gift," says Mr. Blackstone. "I find that I posseas it, and I cultivate it every day. I meet many people after our concerts and when I am told their name, I repeat it several times, and ask them to repeat it to me if I do not get it at first. Then I spell it to myself several times, and I have it in my attic storeroom forever. It seems to please people when I come back ten or twelve months later and recognize them by name immediately, and it is also great fun for me."

In conjunction with this recital, Victoria music lovers will welcome the news that Mrs. Gertrude Huntly Green, Canada's premiere pianist, will be heard in several groups, chosen from composers from all over the world.

AMUSING WAR PICTURE BOOKED FOR COLISEUM

The manager of the Coliseum Theatre announces the coming of "Not So Quiet on the Western Front," the great British all-talking comedy. The picture opens with a regimental dinner, then drifts back to the days in the front line trench. The amusing things that take place in the wrecked town, No Man's Land and "Blighty," are all shown in this production. Leslie Fuller is seen in the leading role, supported by Wilfred Temple and Stella Brown. "Not So Quiet on the Western Front" will open at the Coliseum Theatre Saturday.

NEW GOVERNOR READS SPEECH AT OPENING OF P.E.I. LEGISLATURE

CHARLOTTETOWN, March 24 (CP).—The Governor of Prince Edward Island has communicated with the administrations of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia with a view to holding a conference to discuss united action in pressing for a final settlement of subsidy claims on the Federal Government, states the Speech from the Throne, read today at the opening of the ourth session of Prince Edward Island's forty-first general assembly.

Hon. Charles Dalton, new Lieutenant-Governor of the province, officiated for the first time.

Economic conditions in the province are more favorable than elsewhere, the speech notes, attributing this result to "the wise policy of mixed farming."

Wife—If I should die, what would you do?

Hubby—I'd almost go crazy.

Wife—Would you marry again?

Hubby—No, I wouldn't go as crazy as that.

Jugoslavia's Queen and Her Children

THIS photograph shows Queen Marie of Jugoslavia and her lovely children. The Queen is the daughter of the late King and Dowager Queen Marie of Rumania, who married King Alexander on June 8, 1922. The three little princes as shown are, from left to right, Crown Prince Peter, aged seven; Prince Tomislav, aged three, and Prince Ancreja, who will be two years old next June 29.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Back to the Long Sleep

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

As nature meant so let things be,
For who is there as wise as she?
—Farmer Brown's Boy.

Nimbleheels the Jumping Mouse, one of the seven sleepers, had been awakened in the middle of Winter. He had been found sound asleep in his Winter home in a hollow stump by Farmer Brown's boy, so sound asleep that it was as if he were dead. But the warmth of Farmer Brown's kitchen had awakened him. Now Mother Brown had declared that he must be taken out of the house, and she was very firm about it.

"When mother says a thing she means it," thought Farmer Brown's boy, "so it will be of no use to tease her to allow me to keep Nimbleheels in the house. I'll have to take him out in the barn. I wonder if he will go to sleep again out there. Perhaps it will be warm enough out there to keep him awake. Anyway, there is nothing else to do."

So Farmer Brown's boy prepared a box for Nimbleheels. In it he placed some cotton waste and pieces of paper, enough to make a big comfortable bed. The top he covered with fine wire screen, so that Nimbleheels couldn't get out and no enemy could get in to harm him. In the box he put a dish of water and some corn and buckwheat. Then he took Nimbleheels out to the barn and put him in his new home. Nimbleheels at once began to explore. He examined every corner of his new home. This done, he drank, and then settled down to make a good meal.

"This isn't so bad," thought Nimbleheels It wasn't. The barn was rather dimly lighted, for the big door was kept closed. There was the pleasant odor of hay. He liked both the dim light and the smell of the hay. The latter gave him a home feeling, for Nimbleheels had spent much of his life in or on the edge of a hay field. Having finished his dinner, he inspected the bed Farmer Brown's boy had arranged for him.

"This won't do at all," said Nimbleheels to himself, for lack of anyone else to talk to. "No, sir, this won't do at all. I must get to work at once."

So he set to work to pull apart the cotton waste and tear up the paper. The latter he tore into little pieces. It took a long time to tear up that paper. When Farmer Brown's boy had looked in the last thing before closing the barn for the night Nimbleheels was still at work.

That night the weather turned very cold. When, in the morning, Farmer Brown's boy went out to the barn, he was worried. He was fearful that Nimbleheels might not have been warm enough. The first thing he did was to look in the box. He could see nothing of Nimbleheels, but there was a sort of big ball of cotton and torn paper.

"Probably he is in that," muttered Farmer Brown's boy, and began to carefully open it. He half expected Nimbleheels to jump out, but Nimbleheels didn't. At last, buried deep in the cotton and paper, he found Nimbleheels curled up tightly, his long tail wrapped around him. Gently Farmer Brown's boy touched him. How cold he felt! He didn't move. With many misgivings, Farmer Brown's boy lifted Nimbleheels out and held him in one cupped hand. There was no sign of life. His little body felt colder than ever.

"I fear this cold weather was too much for him," mourned Farmer Brown's boy. "I wish mother had allowed me to keep him in the kitchen. Poor little chap."

"This isn't so bad," thought Nimbleheels

And right then Farmer Brown's boy remembered something. He remembered that when he had found Nimbleheels in that old stump he had appeared exactly as he did now. He had been just as cold to the touch. He had curled up in just this way. "I wonder," exclaimed Farmer Brown's boy, "if he is alive after all and has simply gone back into his Winter sleep. I wonder if he is hibernating again."

That is a big word, but as I told you once before, it means simply sleeping that queer kind of sleep in which certain little people spend the Winter. Farmer Brown's boy put Nimbleheels back in the box and did his morning chores. When he was once more free he took Nimbleheels in his hand once more and covered him with the hand, so that the warmth of both hands would be felt. For a long time there were no signs of life. Then he felt a feeble stir.

"He is alive!" exclaimed Farmer Brown's boy. "Yes, sir, he is alive. I guess the thing for me to do is to put him right back and cover him up as he was. Perhaps he'll sleep for the rest of the Winter and awaken in the Spring."

Threatened Shake-up Of Edmonton Police Fails to Take Place

EDMONTON, March 24 (CP).—Edmonton's threatened police shake-up failed to materialize last night, when the city council rejected the recommendation of the city commissioners that Chief Constable A. G. Shute's resignation be called for. Instead, a request of the chief that he be granted until January 1, 1932, to reorganize his department satisfactorily to the council, was granted.

The motion to dispense with the chief's services resulted in a tie vote, and it was necessary for the chairman to cast the deciding ballot.

A resolution abolishing the policemen's union was carried.

Old D., fifty-eight to a day, was to lead to the altar a blushing bride of twenty-two Summers. His friends, alarmed at the disproportion in the ages, ventured to remonstrate:

"Don't you think the young lady is much too young?"

"Too young!" exclaimed D. in blank amazement. "Why, she is exactly the age of my first wife when I married her."

BONZO ◆ ◆ ◆ ◆ ◆ ◆ ◆ by Studdy

"Mummie, what makes the buds come out?"

"The Spring, my dear."

"But how do they get the springs inside them?"

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THE HEART

breath, and they should learn to stop and rest immediately if they experience shortness of breath or ... They must realize their ... to do more

What Today Means

"ARIES"

... birthday, the

CAULIFLOWERS PLENTIFUL HE[RE]

Local Supply Sufficient to Over[come] Importing From the Mainland

A plentiful supply of local [cauli]flower on the wholesale marke[t has] practically stopped all import[s in] this line for the time being, [the] quality of the local vegetal[ble is] good, and wholesale houses [have] difficulty in disposing of the[ir] to retailers.

Another local commodity [which is] abundant on the wholesale [market] now is rhubarb. There is n[o neces]sity for bringing in V[ancouver] stock, and, while the prices [are not] as low as they might be, [this is] expected some time next [week].

A shipment of Californ[ia straw]berries is expected here at [the end] of the week, according to [advices re]ceived yesterday. These wi[ll be some] of the first of the season.

Asparagus prices have [...] reached rock bottom for [...] wholesale men say, and [...] continue at this low for [...]

The last car of Impe[rial] lettuce has been taken [...] wholesale houses and he[nce the] supply will come from a [...dis]trict in the South.

The movement of [...] matoes on the wholesale [...] good, retailers being ar[...] cure a good share of th[e ex]cellent crop.

Among other shipm[ents] here this week was a [...] of Okanagan apples, M[cIntosh] and Winesaps. More [...] within the next few [...]

Retail M[arkets]

Vegetab[les]
Local Potatoes, 10 lbs.
Hothouse Tomatoes, lb.
Beets, 3 bunches for
Carrots, per bunch
Turnips, per bunch
Cauliflower, each
Onions, lb.
Lettuce, head
Cucumbers, each
Artichokes, each
Onions, 6 lbs. for
Local Celery

Fru[it]
New Navel Oranges
Jamaica Oranges, do[z.]
Apples—
Fancy, lb.
Winesaps, box
Cooking Apples
McIntosh Reds, lb.
Spitzenburgs, 3 lb[s.]
Jonathan, box
Winter Banana
Delicious, box
Newtown Pippin
Wagners, 3 lbs.
Lemons, Cal., doz[.]
Dates, 3 lbs.
New California Fig[s]
Cal. Cluster Raisin[s]
New California Le[...]
Cabbage, each
New Spanish Tab[le...]
Celery, stalk
New Fard Dates
Cocoanuts, each
Smyrna Figs, lb.
Pears, dozen
Cranberries, lb.
Processed Straw[berries]
Egg Plant, lb.
Pears, Bartlett
Local apples
Cooking Apples
California Grap[efruit]
Arizona Grape[fruit]
Jamaica Grape[fruit]
Pomegranates
Cranberries
Chestnuts, lb.
Fresh Rhubarb
Pineapple

New Almond[s]
Walnuts, lb.
Pecans, lb.
Mixed, lb.
California S[...]
Roasted Pea[nuts]
Soft Shell A[lmonds]
New Chestn[uts]
New Brazil[s]
Local Filbe[rts]

Ham, lb.
Bacon, lb.

D[airy]
Butter—
Brooksid[e]
Shamrock
Cowichan
Handipat
Salt Spr[ing]
Our Own
New Zea[land]
Comox
Eggs—
B.C. Fr[esh]
B.C. Fr[esh]
Pullet E[ggs]

Pork—
Trimm[ed]

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Rail Issues Lead in Afternoon Rally on New York Exchange

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Cross currents of uncertainty rippled over the financial markets today.

Share trading on the stock exchange was without particular significance from the longer term viewpoint, and the day's sales of 1,900,000 shares were the smallest in six weeks. The market was heavy in the morning, when grains were making new lows, recovered early in the afternoon and came to life under more active covering towards the close.

Stocks that were weakest in the recent markets came forward with the best gains. Westinghouse, Air Reduction, United States Industrial Alcohol, National Cash Register and National Distillers rose 2 to 3 points net. Rails, far from shying off at February's unfavorable earning statements, were the first to firm and showed advances of 1 to 5 points. McKeesport Tin Plate and Newport Company came to the fore with liberal gains, while energetic Auburn outdid itself with a maximum rise of 23 1-2 to 24 1-2, closing at 240, up 21 points.

Less excitable shares about recovered yesterday's losses.

The bond market was irregularly lower. Declines were most frequent among foreign Government obligations.

United States Government obligations were lower on moderate sales.

Domestic corporate bonds developed a downward trend also, but the movement was less marked.

(Logan & Bryan)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

ELECTRICAL AND MFG.

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	37-2	36-1	37-2
Amn. Brown Boveri	9-7	..	9-7
Elec. Auto Lite	71-4	69-2	71-1
Elec. Storage Batt.	95-0	93-4	66-6
Foster Wheeler	91	39	60
General Electric	53-3	51-5	53-1
Int. Combus. Engr.	3-3	3-1	3-1
Westinghouse El.	94-5	90-3	93-5
Genl. Realty	7-5	7-2	7-2

MISCELLANEOUS AND MFG.

	High	Low	Close
Abitibi Power & Pap.	11-4	11	11-4
Amn. Can Co.	127-6	124-3	127-3
Amn. Ice	29-2	..	29-3
Bendix	23-7	23-1	23-6
Burroughs Adding	28-4	..	28-4
Case Threshing	115-7	111-9	115-5
Columbia Graph.	13-3	13	13-3
Congoleum-Nairn	10-2	10	10-2
Continental Can.	59-4	58-5	59-3
Curtiss-Wright	5-1	4-7	5
Dupont de Nemours	104-6	103-5	103-7
Eastman Kodak	171	168-9	171
Gillette	33	30-4	21-7
Gold Dust	41-5	40-3	41-4
Intl. Harvester	56-2	55-3	55-4
Natl. Cash Register	32-7	29-6	32-7
Pullman	53	51-4	52
Radio Corpn. of Amn.	26-4	26	26-1
Remington-Rand	14-7	14-5	14-5
Simmons Co.	18-3	18	18-3
Underwood Type	67-4	..	67-4
Worthington Pump	93-4	88-6	91-2

RAILS

	High	Low	Close
Allegheny Corpn.	10-3	9-4	10-1
Atchison	192	188	192
Atlantic Coast	103-4	..	103-4
Baltimore & Ohio	75-7	73-4	74-3
Canadian Pacific	42-3	41-5	42-1
Ches. & Ohio	42-2	41-1	42
Chicago & Northw.	39-4	38-4	39-2
Chicago Gt. West	6-6	..	6-6
C., M. & St. Paul	6-7	..	6-7
Chicago Rock Island	60	58-2	60
Del. & Hudson	145	144	145
Del., Lack & West	77-2	76-4	77
Erie	30-7	30	30-7
Gt. Northern pfd.	64-2	63-4	64-2
Ill. Central	75	74	75
Louis. & Nash.	96	..	96
Mo., K. & Tex.	21-7	21	21-6
N.Y. Central	113-4	110-3	112-4
N.Y., New Haven & H.	90-6	88	90-6
Norfolk & West	198-2	197-4	197-6
Pennsylvania R.R.	58-6	58-1	58-4
St. Louis San Fran.	39-4	36-4	39-4
Southern Pacific	99-7	98-6	99-7
Southern Ry.	53	51-2	52-7
Union Pacific	192	186-4	191-5

STEEL AND IRON

	High	Low	Close
Amn. Car & Found.	34	33-1	33-1
Amn. Locomotive	26	..	26
Baldwin Loco	26-4	25-7	26-3
Bethlehem Steel	64-4	62-5	64-4
Byers (AM) Co.	57-3	55-1	57-3
Crucible Steel	49-9	48-6	49-6
Gen. Ry. Signal	76	75-6	76
General Tank	69-6	68-2	69-6
Rep. Iron & Steel	22-4	21-5	22-4
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	34-2	33-7	34
U.S. Steel	147-3	145-1	147-2
Westingh. Air Brake	34-5	..	34-5
Youngstown Sheet	74	..	74

AUTOMOBILE AND ACCESS.

	High	Low	Close
Auburn	242-4	216	240
Briggs	22-3	21-1	21-5
Checker Cab	14	13-1	14
Chrysler	[illegible]	23-2	[illegible]
Continental M.	4	..	4

	High	Low	Close
General Motor	47-3	46	47-1
Hudson	23-0	22-0	22-7
Hupp	11-7	11-4	11-7
Mack Truck	40	39-3	40
Motor Wheel	18-3	..	18-3
Nash	40-4	39	39-5
Packard	10	9-7	10
Stewart-Warner	20-3	19-6	20-3
Studebaker	26	24-4	25
Timken Roller	37	..	37
Willys-Overland	7-4	7-2	7-4
Yellow Truck	14-4	14-1	14-3
United Aircraft	26-4	24-7	26-1

TIRES AND RUBBER

	High	Low	Close
Goodrich	18-4	18-2	18-2
Goodyear	48-3	46	48-4
Kelly-Springfield	3-1	2-6	3-1
U.S. Rubber	19-5	18-2	19-5

PUBLIC UTILITY

	High	Low	Close
Amn. Foreign Power	47-2	45-3	46-7
Amn. Power & Light	57-7	56-7	57-7
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	197-1	193-6	196-4
Amn. Waterworks	72	70	72
Columbia Gas	44	43	44
Consol Gas, N.Y.	107-6	106-2	106-4
Elec. Power & Light	59-2	57	59
Inter. Tel. & Tel.	27-4	26	27-4
North American	87	85-2	87
Pacific Gas & Elec.	53-4	53	53-4
So. Cal. Edison	53	50-3	52
Stand. Gas & Elec.	95-2	92-6	94-4
United Corpn.	30-3	29-3	30-3
Util. Power & Lt. "A"	29-6	29-4	29-4
Natl. Power & Lite	43	41	42-6

FOOD PRODUCTS

	High	Low	Close
Amn. Sugar	59-7	57-4	59-7
Borden Co.	75-7	74-4	75-5
Cal. Pks.	45	..	45
Canada Dry	37-4	..	37-4
Cont. Baking "A"	25	22-4	22-5
Corn Products	85-4	85	85-1
Cuban Amn. Sugar	5-6	5	5-6
Gen. Foods	54-4	54-1	54-3
Gt. West Sugar	10-6	..	10-6
Loose Wiles Biscuits	53-4	53	53-4
National Biscuit	81	80-6	81
Natl. Dairy Prod.	50	48-7	50
Panick & Ford	42-2	41	41-4
Safeway Stores	65-2	60-6	64-4
Standard Brandes	20-1	19-5	19-7
United Fruit	66	64-4	66
Ward Baking "B"	6-5	6-4	6-5

APPAREL

	High	Low	Close
American Woolen	10-6	..	10-6
Julius Kayser	22-3	20-7	21-7
Spiegel May	17	15-2	17
U.S. Leather "A"	13-6	..	13-6

RETAIL TRADE

	High	Low	Close
Assoc. Dry Goods	28-5	26	28-1
Childs Co.	22	21-4	21-4
Drug, Inc.	76-3	75-2	76
S.S. Kresge Co.	27	..	27
Krueger Toll	27-2	26-6	27-2
Montgomery Ward	26-6	25-5	26-6
Sears Roebuck	58-7	57-6	58-7
Schulte Retail	10-1	10	10
F. W. Woolworth	64-4	63-5	64-4

TOBACCOS

	High	Low	Close
Amn. Tobacco "B"	120	118-4	120
Consol Cigar	29	..	29
Ligett Meyers "B"	89	88-2	88-2
Lorillard	18-7	18-2	18-4
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	51-5	51	51-4
Tobacco Prod. "B"	2-3	..	3-1

MISCELLANEOUS

	High	Low	Close
Certanteed Prod.	6-7	6-2	6-3
Foundation Co.	15	14-3	15
Fox Film "A"	37-2	36	37-3
General Asphalt	44-3	41-5	44-3
Intl. Cement	34	32-4	33-4
Intl. Match pfd.	71	68-6	71
Johns-Manville	78-5	76-5	78-3
Loews	60	57-4	59-5
Otis Elevator	56	55-4	55-5
Paramount Famous	47-6	46-2	47-2
Radio-Keith-Orph.	24-2	23-2	24
Shubert Theatre	7-4	7-3	7-4
Tex. Pacific Land	15-2	15	15
Trans America	14-4	14-2	14-4
U.S. Realty	32-6	..	32-6
Warner Bros.	14-1	13-3	14
Comn. & Southern	11-5	11-3	11-5
Amn. International	21	20-2	21

CHEMICAL

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	100	97-2	100
Allied Chemical	159-4	153	159
Columbia Carbon	98-4	91-2	98-2
Com. Solvents	20-1	19-3	20
Davison Chem.	20	19-4	19-4
Freeport Texas	41-7	41	41-3
Lambert	85-3	85	85
Lehn & Fink	23-1	..	23-1
Mathieson Alkali	26-1	25-7	26
Natl. Distillers	23-7	23-4	23-7
Tex. Gulf Sulphur	52-9	52-2	52-4
Union Carbide	69	66-2	67-3
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	64-1	61	64-1
Va. Car Chem.	2-4	..	2-4

OIL & REFINING

	High	Low	Close
Amerada	21-2	21-1	21-1
Atlantic Ref.	20-2	19-9	20
Barnsdall	12-3	12	12-2
Cont Oil	9-9	9-4	9-9
Houston Oil	59-3	57-2	59-2
Mid. Cont. Pete	12-6	..	12-6
Phillips Petro	11-7	11-4	11-6
Prairie Pipe	22-1	22	22
Richfield Oil	4-2	..	4-2
Royal Dutch	39	37-5	39
Shell Union Oil	7-7	7-3	7-7
Sinclair Cons. Oil	13-5	13-1	13-5
Skelly Oil	9	8-6	8-6
Stand. Oil, Cal.	45-4	45	45-3
Stand. Oil, N.J.	46-4	45-6	46-4
Stand. Oil, N.Y.	22-5	22-2	22-4
Texas Corpn.	30	29-5	29-5
Texas Pac. Coal	5	..	5
Union Oil, Cal.	22-6	22-2	22-2

MINING AND SMELTING

	High	Low	Close
Alaska Juneau	9-1	8-7	9
Amn. Metal	31	..	31
Amn. Smelting	52	50-7	51-2
Anaconda Copper	37-4	36-6	37-3
Calumet Arizona	41	40-4	41
Calumet Hecla	9-4	..	9-4
Cerro De Pasco	26-4	26-2	26-3
Howe Sound	26-7	26-2	26-7

	High	Low	Close
Inspiration	9-5	..	9-5
Intl. Nickel	19-0	18-4	19-3
Kennecott	28-3	27-7	28-3
McKeesport Tin	95-0	88-4	95-6
Nevada Cons.	13-2	13	13-1
Patino Mines	13	..	13
Phelps Dodge	23	..	23
U.S. Smelting	23-4	23	23
Vanadium	73-2	69-1	72-4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Foreign exchanges steady.
France—3.91 9-16; cables 3.92 7-16.
Italy—5.23 9-16; cables 5.24.
Belgium—13.92½.
Germany—23.83.
Holland—40.10.
Norway—26.75.
Sweden—26.77½.
Denmark—26.74⅝.
Switzerland—19.24⅝.
Spain—10.74.
Portugal—4.50.
Greece—1.29 7-16.
Poland—11.20.
Czechoslovakia—2.98⅝.
Jugoslavia—1.73⅝.
Austria—14.06.
Rumania—.59 9-16.
Argentina—34.97½.
Brazil—7.40.
Tokio—49.35.
Shanghai—32.93½.
Montreal—99.95 5-16.
Mexico City (gold peso)—47.30.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 25.—Demand 485; cables 486; 60-day bills 483 3-16.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

(Financial Counsel via Logan & Bryan Wires)

MONTREAL, March 24.—Strong recovering tendencies in Wall Street were soon reflected in the market for Canadian stocks, which in the early part of the session sagged off quite steadily. From the lows of the day, however, later rallies were moderately substantial and the market closed in something of a rallying mood. One of the outstanding features of the day was Brazilian, which, on continued reports of weakness in the exchange rate around 7.25 cents to the milreis, fell to 21 3-8 but later with a New York demand helping, prices rallied to 25 and closed 22 1-2.

A number of situations have been developed lately which make it important that the investor and trader exercise considerable discretion in making his commitments. For instance, the reversals which have taken place in more speculative stocks, such as Atlantic Sugar and Viau Biscuit, would seem to hold a warning that in order to trade in stocks something must be known of conditions surrounding them in a corporate as well as market sense. There are certain stocks which today are pointing steadily upward which are extremely difficult to analyze and yet which actually may be considered attractive. Of others, just the reverse is true and it is up to the individual to make his own decisions. The broadening tendency of prices is making the field more fruitful for the tipster but suggestions from these sources should be verified before being acted upon.

PRICE CHANGES

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—The stock market lost considerable ground today, Atlantic Sugar and Hamilton Bridge dropping over two points each, while practically all other active issues showed fractional losses. Brazilian Traction, Montreal Power, Cockshutt and others were among the fractional losers. International Nickel was an exception, being 1-4 stronger at the close. Atlantic Sugar closed at 24 3-4, off 2 3-4; Hamilton Bridge was down 2 1-2 at 16 1-4; Massey-Harris lost 1-2 at 7 1-2.

Smelters eased a point at 175, while Dominion Textile was one point better at 82.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper pfd.	41¼	43⅝
Beatty Bros. com.	16	..
Beatty Bros. pfd.	76	..
Bell Telephone	149	149¼
Brazilian T., L. & P.	21⅝	21⅞
B.A. Oil	12⅝	13
B.C. Packers	2	2¼
B.C. Power "A"	41⅝	42
B.C. Power "B"	16	17
Building Products "A"	24¾	..
Canadian Bakeries "A"	19	..
Can. Canners "B"	12⅞	13
Can. Cement pfd.	96⅞	..
Canada Gypsum	10	10½
Canadian Hydro Electric	79	80
Canadian Pacific (New York)	42⅛	..
Can. Steamships pfd.	20	..
Cockshutt Plow	9	9¼
Con. Smelters	174½	175
Cosmos Imp. com.	8½	..
Dominion Bridge	47½	48
Dominion Glass	123	125
Dominion Textile	90½	92
Ford of Canada "A"	26¾	28½
Frost Steel & Wire com.	9	..
Frost Steel & Wire pfd.	96	..
General Steel Wares	5½	6
Goodyear Tire	115	119
Hamilton Bridge	16¼	16⅝
Hinds & Dauch. com.	4	5½
Home Oil	1.05	1.09
Imperial Oil	16	19¼
Imperial Tobacco	9⅞	10½
International Nickel	18½	16⅝
International Petroleum	12	12½
International Utilities "A"	45	..
Lake of the Woods com.	14	10
Massey-Harris com.	7⅝	7⅞
McColl Frontenac	19⅛	19⅜
Montreal Power	65⅝	65½
Nat. Breweries	34⅝	34½
Noranda	26.35	26.40
Ogilvie Flour	..	208
Ottawa L., H. & P.	91½	..
Page-Hersey Tubes	90½	92
Power Corporation	..	92⅞
Quebec Power	45	45½
Riverside "A"	14	19
Service Station "A"	28½	29
Service Station Pfd. "A"	86	..
Shawinigan W. & P.	57⅛	57½
Sherritt Gordon	1.12	1.15
Sherwin-Williams	27⅝	29
Steel of Canada com.	39⅝	40⅞
Sudbury Basin	.80	.84
Ventures	.79	.81
Walkers G. & W.	7⅞	8
Winnipeg Electric com.	20¼	21¼

EGG MARKET

PRICE TO PRODUCERS

	Ext.	1sts	2nds
Vancouver	16	14	12
Victoria	16-17	14-15	12-13
Edmonton	14	12	10
Calgary	15	13	11
Winnipeg	17	15	10
Toronto	18-19	16-17	14-15
Montreal	21-22	19-21	17-19
St. John	24-29	22	15-19
Halifax	34-35	32-33	16-17

JOBBING PRICE

Vancouver	20-22	18-20	17-19
Victoria	20-21	17-18	15-17

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Futures quotations, bid:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	54⅝	54⅝	54⅛	54⅝
May	55⅝	55⅝	55⅛	55⅝

Cash—	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	59¼	54⅝
No. 1 Northern	55⅝	54⅛
No. 2 Northern	51⅝	49⅛
No. 3 Northern	47⅝	43⅝
No. 4 Wheat	43⅝	40⅝
No. 5 Wheat	41⅛	38⅝
No. 6 Wheat	39⅛	36⅝
Feed	38⅛	35⅝

WHEAT SLUMP ON CHICAGO MARKET ENDS

Stabilization Corporation Increased Its Selling Price on Old Crop No. 1 Hard

IOWA REPORTS DAMAGE DUE TO HESSIAN FLY

(Logan & Bryan)

CHICAGO, March 24.—Announcement in the late trade that the Stabilization Corporation would increase its selling price on old No. 2 hard, starting April 1, resulted in short covering and improved commission house buying in the late trade, with final prices practically at last night's close after recording new lows for the season earlier in the day. The increasing difference between old and new crop positions will probably mean renewed selling of wheat by the country.

Chairman Stone, of the Farm Board, said the decision to buy no 1931 wheat has been made at this time to give Spring wheat farmers fair warning. A sizeable reduction in the Spring acreage is expected.

Australian reports suggested the possibility of some arrangement between that country and Argentine in regard to sales. A conference to consider advisability of this having been called for some time in April, in Australia.

Winnipeg reports late in the day said there did not apper to be much actual pressure on the market. It is possible that the wheat may become oversold, temporarily, at least. There was quite good commission house buying at times. Reports from country agents to Ames College, Iowa, noted heavy damage from Hessian fly.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May	82⅝	82⅛	82⅛
July	59⅝	56⅛	59⅝
Sept.	60	59	59⅝
Corn—			
Mar.	61	59⅝	60⅛
May	64⅛	62⅝	63⅛
July	65⅜	63⅛	64⅛
Sept.	66⅝	63⅝	64⅝

INDEMNITIES

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
July	59¼	60⅛
Sept.	59¼	60⅛

CASH CLOSES

Wheat—No. 2 Hard, 77; 4 H., 76; 1 N.S., 79¼; 1 M., 78¼.
Corn—No. 2 M., 61 @ 63; 3 M., 59½ @ 60½; 4 M., 59 @ 56½; 2 Y., 91 @ 62½; 3 Y., 59½ @ 61¼; 4 Y., 57½ @ 59½; 2 W., 61¼ @ 62; 3 W., 91¼ @ 61¼; 4 W., 60 @ 60¼.
Oats—No. 2 W., 31½ @ 32.
Rye—None.

Montreal-Toronto Stock Quotations

(Logan & Bryan)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Bid
Abitibi Power	..	..	10-6
Alberta Pac.	..	..	4
Asbestos	..	..	0-4
Atlantic Sugar	37-4	33-4	34
Bell Telephone	..	..	148
B.C. Packing	..	..	2
Brazil	22-2	21-3	22
B.C. Power "A"	42	41-4	42
B.C. Power "B"	..	..	16-1
Can. Car Fdy.	..	..	17
Can. Cement	17-4	17-2	17-4
Can. Gen. Electric	..	..	263
Can. Ind. Al. "A"	..	..	4
Can. Power	1-5	1-4	1-5
Can. Steamers	..	..	7-2
Cockshutt Plow	..	..	9-2
Cons. M. & S.	174-4	173	173
Dominion Bridge	..	..	46
Dominion Glass	..	..	125
Dominion Textile	..	..	61
Fraser Cos.	..	..	2
General Steel Wares	..	..	5-6
Hamilton Bridge	..	..	17
Intl. Nickel	19-2	18-6	19-1
Lake of Woods	..	..	15
Massey-Harris	7-6	7-4	7-6
Montreal Power	67	65	65-7
Natl. Brewing	34-4	34	34-1
Natl. Steel Car	..	..	36
Ogilvie	..	..	268
Power Corpn.	62-7	62-2	62-3
Price Bros.	27-6	27-5	27-5
Quebec Power	..	..	46
Shawinigan	56	57-2	37-2
Steel of Can.	..	..	40
Winnipeg Elec.	..	..	20-2

CURBS

	High	Low	Bid
Ass'd Breweries	9	8-6	9
B.A. Oil	13-1	12-6	12
Canada Dredge	..	..	33-6
Distillers-Seagrams	12-4	12-2	12-2
Dryden Paper	..	..	5
East Dairies	..	..	25
Imperial Oil	16-1	16	16
Imperial Tobacco Can.	10-1	10	10
Intl. Petrol	12-1	12	12
McColl Frontenac	..	..	18-1
Page Hersey	..	..	88
Walker-Good	..	..	8

UTILITIES

	High	Low	Bid
Intl. Ut "A"	..	..	45

BANKS

	Bid	Asked
Canadienne	173-4	..
Commerce	220	..
Imperial	316	..
Montreal	302-4	303
Nova Scotia	316	..
Royal	290	..
Toronto	233	..

MISCELLANEOUS

	High	Low	Bid
Can. Canners 2nd pfd.	13	12-7	13
Canada Gypsum	..	..	10-3
Canada Dredge	..	..	33-6
Loblaw Grocers	..	..	14-1

MINES

	High	Low	Bid
Amulet	39	33	35
Coast Copper	..	..	9.00
Hudson Bay	6.00	5.90	5.95
Hollinger	..	..	9.20
Lake Shore	29.29	28.00	29.25
Mining Corpn.	2.65	2.60	2.62
McIntyre	..	..	22.25
Nipissing	..	..	1.70
Noranda	27.00	26.35	26.95
Premier Gold	72	70	72
Pend O'Reille	1.50	1.40	1.45
Teck Hughes	7.90	7.90	7.80
Wright Harg.	2.20	2.09	3.20

FOREIGN BONDS

(Logan & Bryan)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7's, 1945, "A"	87⅝	88½
Argentine 6's, 1957	96⅝	97⅛
Argentine 6's, 1959	96⅝	97⅛
Austrian 7's, 1943	105⅝	106⅛
Belgian 6's, 1955	103⅝	104⅛
Belgian 7's, 1955	113⅝	114⅛
Belgian 7's, 1956	110	110⅛
Bolivia 8's, 1947	40⅝	41⅛
Brazil 6½'s, 1957	66⅝	67⅛
Bordeaux 6's, 1934	103½	106
Buenos Aires 7½'s, 1947	98	96½
Chile 6's, 1960	85	95½
Chile 7's, 1942	99⅝	99⅞
Costa Rica 7's, 1951	78⅝	78⅞
Denmark 6½'s, 1955	110	110⅛
French 7's, 1949	118⅝	119⅛
French 7½'s, 1941	125⅝	125⅝
German 7's, 1949	104⅝	105⅝
Italy 7's, 1951	99⅝	99⅞
Peru 7's, 1957	98½	98⅝
Japan 6½'s, 1954	106½	106
Lyons 6's, 1934	106½	106
M.S.S. 6's, 1934	105⅝	105⅛
Nord 6½'s, 1950	100⅝	100⅝
Norway 6's, 1944	105½	106
Polish 6's, 1940	73½	73⅝
Paraguay 6's, 1956	104⅝	105
Paraguay 7's, 1958	101	101⅛
Seine 7's	107⅛	107⅝
S.S.S. 6's, 1936	105⅝	106⅛
Siemen Halske 6½'s, 1951	100⅛	100⅛
Uruguay 8's, 1946	102⅝	102⅞

A.P. Consolidated Nets 13 Cent Gain; Mine Shares Ease

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—A vigorous recovery in A.P. Consolidated, based on bullish news from the Spring Coulee field, enlivened the Vancouver stock market, Tuesday. The remainder of the oils displayed group strength under the influence of the leader. Gains were unimportant. In neglected trading the mines shares worked narrowly downward.

The quickness of the market to respond to favorable news was once more shown by the action of A.P. Consolidated. The stock opened strong at 25 cents and advanced to a high for this movement at 34 cents, at which price it closed, a net gain of 13 cents. A.P. Consolidated accounted for 19,100 shares of the turnover of 44,052 shares.

Although offerings were light in the less active oils, gains ruled in the majority at the close. Mayland and Dalhousie were prominent in the gains column, with the former closing 3 cents higher at 46 cents and the latter 4 1-2 cents at 37 1-2 cents. Eastcrest rose 2 cents to 36 cents, while Home hardened 1 cent to 1.06.

Outstanding in the mines group was Premier Gold, which was forced down 2 cents to 68 cents in a late bear raid. Pioneer Gold dropped 2 cents to 1.55 and Big Missouri ended the day unchanged. In the base metals group Pend Oreille sagged 3 cents to 1.40, and Reeves-McDonald eased 1 cent to 42 cents.

Prices in the "penny" mines division were fractionally weaker.

AFTERNOON SALES

Oils
Amalgamated—500 at .05.
A.P. Con.—500 at .31; 3,600 at .33; 1,300 at .33½; 7,400 at .33; 300 at .33½; 1,100 at .34.
Calmont Oil—1,000 at .15.
Fabyan Pete.—2,000 at .03¼.
Home Oil—50 at 1.06.
Illinois-Alberta—500 at .02½.

Listed Mines
Beaver Silver—1,000 at .04½.
Georgia River—2,000 at .03.
Nat. Silver—200 at .02½; 1,000 at .03.
Pend Oreille—100 at 1.42.
Premier Gold—3,100 at .67; 50 at .73.
Reeves-McDonald—500 at .41.
Ruth-Hope—1,000 at .06.

Industrials
Coast Breweries—47 at 13.75.

Curb Exchange
Bluebird—3,000 at .02.
Kootenay King—1,000 at .00⅝.
Silvercrest—100 at .03.
Topley-Richfield—1,000 at .01⅝.
Crow's Nest—2,000 at .04½.
Nordon Corp.—500 at .43; 1,000 at .45.

MORNING SALES

Oils
A.P. Con.—1,000 at .35; 500 at .39; 3,200 at .30.
Fabyan Pete.—2,000 at .03¼.
Freehold—100 at .07.
Home Oil—100 at 1.07.
Merland—200 at .13½.
Mercury—700 at .16½.
McLeod Oil—300 at .40.

Mines
Big Missouri—1,000 at .45.
Duthie Mines—1,000 at .10.
Georgia River—3,000 at .03; 500 at .03¼.
Grandview—300 at .06.
Pend Oreille—600 at 1.40.
Reeves-McDonald—1,900 at .40.
Reno Gold—1,000 at .20.

Curb Exchange
Cork Province—5,000 at .02.
Lucky Jim—10,000 at .03.
Silvarado—500 at .05½.
Nordon Corp.—500 at .42; 100 at .42.

Whitney Says Upturn Due to Begin Friday

(Logan & Bryan)

NEW YORK, March 24.—Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says: There is every likelihood that the closing strength of Tuesday's market will be carried over into the early part of today, following which, it is expected that an irregular reaction will develop. I think that if the anticipated irregular reaction comes in the last part of today's session, you can well afford to pick up stocks, and I would not wait for the average issue to duplicate or violate the low points seen yesterday, for I think you will find that they will fight shy of them. At the moment I see no reason for altering the opinion expressed here at the start of the week, when it was stated that we were faced with three or four days of irregular reaction, and that by the close on Thursday a definite turn to higher prices would be well under way.

The outstanding characteristic of the present market is its ability to ride through bad news in an impressive maner. I think that the much-discussed pending unfavorable dividend actions if, as and when they transpire, will not have the effect on the market that pessimists believe. In fact, it would not be a bit surprising if the predicted gloom, when it appears, is far rosier than expected. Personally I think that what unfavorable dividend news does come, is liable to result in considerable short covering, and I also believe that there is an excellent chance of some of the forecasts regarding the dividend actions proving inaccurate.

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, March 24 (CP).—The following wheat quotations were supplied by Broomhall, Liverpool, today; all prices c.i.f.:

	Today	Y'day
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, April	75¼	76⅝
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic, April	72⅝	79
No. 3 Man. Northern, Atlantic, April	68⅛	69⅝
Argentine (Barusso 63½ lbs.), April	59⅛	60⅝
Argentine (Rosafe 63 lbs.), April	59⅛	61¼
Australian (new crop), March	63	62⅝
Russian (afloat), average sample	59⅝	61⅝

Note.—The above was translated from British weights and currency to Canadian bushels and money at today's exchange rate between banks, which was $4.85⅝.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24.—Bonded wheat closed irregular.

	High	Low	Close
May	60¼	59⅝	60⅛
July	61⅞	61⅛	61⅞
October	64¼	63⅝	b64¼

NEW YORK CURB

(Logan & Bryan)

	Bid	Asked
Ass'd G. & E. "A"	23⅝	23⅞
Carib Syndicate	1⅛	1⅜
Cities Service com.	19½	20
Cities Service pfd.	83⅝	83⅞
Club Alum	2⅛	4
Columbia Syncate	0⅛	0⅜
Cont. Oil	4⅝	10
Creole Pete	3	2⅛
Durant Motors of Del.	2⅝	2⅞
Electric Bond & Share	58¼	59⅛
Engineers Gold	0⅛	0⅜
Gulf Oil	66⅝	97¼
Hudson Bay M. & S.	9⅝	9⅞
Lion Refs.	9	7
Newmont Mining	51¼	51⅝
Noranda Mines	29⅝	27
Ford of Canada "A"	..	26½
Niles Bemont Pond	31	31½
Pantepec Oil	1⅝	1⅜
Premier Gold	0⅝	0⅜
Shattuck Denn	5	5⅛
Stand. Oil, Ind.	21½	32
Stutz Motors	29⅝	27
Todd Shipyard	46	49
Trans. Contl. Airway	7⅛	7⅜
Imperial Oil, Canada, "C"	15⅝	15⅞
Intl. Petroleum	12¼	12½
United L. & P. "A" (new)	31⅝	32
United Verde Extn.	12⅝	13⅛
Venez. Pete	1⅛	1⅜
Vacuum Oil	53	55⅛
Hollinger	9⅛	9⅜
Bunkerhill & Sullivan	40⅛	54
United Gas	10⅝	..
United Founders	9⅝	..

MONEY MARKET

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Money, 1 1-2 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 2 9-16 @ 2 5-8 per cent; three months, 2 9-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Call money, steady, 1 1-2 per cent, all day. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 1 1-2 @ 1 3-4; ninety days, 1 3-4 @ 2; four months, 2 @ 2 1-4; five-six months, 2 1-4 @ 2 1-2 per cent. Prime commercial paper, 2 1-4 @ 2 1-2. Bankers' acceptances, unchanged.

DOMINION STEEL REPORT ISSUED

Profits for First Year of Reorganization of Big Companies Are Detailed

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—Earnings available against the "B" common stock of Dominion Steel & Coal Corporation, Limited, for the year ending December 31, 1930, its first year of existence following the reorganization of British Empire Steel Corporation and other companies, amounted to $1.02 per share compared with an average of $1.50 on the corresponding stock of constituent companies for the years 1929, 1928 and 1927, it was shown in the report issued here today.

The combined profits of the corporation from the year's operations and returns from investments amounted to $2,296,390. Deducting $679,459, covering requirements for interest on debenture stock deposited with bankers, there remained a balance of $1,616,930. A further amount of $758,497 was deducted for depreciation and depletion reserve. This left a balance of $858,433 available against $841,760 shares of "B" common stock, representing earnings of $1.02 a share.

CALGARY OIL NEWS

(Mason & Diespecker)

CALGARY, March 24.—Coincident with a decision to concentrate in Southern Alberta, Nordon Corporation, large leasing and royalty company, will establish its head office at Calgary, it is learned.

The change in policy was announced at the recent annual meeting of the company at New York. A letter to shareholders to this effect will shortly be circulated over the name of Glen M. Ruby, president of the company.

Besides its extensive royalty and leasing activities in Southern United States fields, Nordon has conducted a comprehensive study of conditions in the southern part of the province, where the major part of 107,000 acres in Alberta are located.

The attention of major companies, including Imperial, Texas, Cities Service, through its subsidiary, Alberta Fuel and Gas, have been attracted to this part of the province.

Nordon officials, it is understood, expect that large operators will take advantage of the company's acreage here and that at least the beginning of a programme will be launched this Summer in areas which have undergone extensive core testing. E. F. Hake, geologist, has been in charge of the field work in Alberta.

A.P. Consolidated (Taber), abandoned by the Cole-Hunter Syndicate as a hopeless fishing jib, has taken the Alberta Pacific Consolidated drilling crew, under the supervision of G. W. Scott, general manager, and Eugene Young, driller, only two weeks to remove the lost tools from the Taber well, recently acquired by A.P.C.

A.P. Consolidated (Spring Coulee)—It is expected that the bit will penetrate the Madison limesotne at about 6,000 feet. The present depth of the well is more than 5,880 feet. Officials of the company have not yet decided what will be done when the Madison limestone is encountered.

Paintearth No. 1—Reports from Castor over the week-end indicate that the Paintearth No. 1 well, being drilled by the Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas Company, has struck a huge flow of salt water. This will necessitate a cementing job before drilling can be continued.

British Dominion No. 3 struck a gas flow of between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 cubic feet at a total depth of 5,295 feet, ninety-five feet in the limestone. J. H. Goodwin, president of the British Dominion Oil and Development Company, announced yesterday. Drilling was proceeding. The early strike of gas is considered most encouraging.

Fabyan Petroleum—A representative of an Old Country firm backing the Canadian Resources, Limited, seeking a natural gas franchise in Saskatchewan, will arrive in Saskatoon about April 10, when they will be prepared to open negotiations with the city council. They sailed from England yesterday.

Establishment of a system which would supply Saskatoon as well as Regina and Moose Jaw, is proposed. Wells located in the Fabyan area would be the source of supply.

A. S. Sibbald, Saskatoon barrister, representing the gas company, states that all arrangements for financing the proposed scheme have already been completed. The money could be raised entirely in the Old Country, he states, or, if desired, the cities participating could purchase 20 per cent of the stock. The cities would thus be in a position to participate in any profits.

LETHBRIDGE, March 24 (CP).—Oil men are watching developments at the Alberta Pacific Consolidated well at Spring Coulee, forty miles southwest of Lethbridge, where oil and gas have been encountered. This is the deepest test ever made in the plains section of Southern Alberta, the drill standing at 5,959 feet today. The well is being drilled with a rotary rig, hence it will be some days before the sand can be tested. Cores taken during the past week show a good quality of light crude, believed to be in the Dolomite lime, the production horizon in the Turner Valley field.

London Stocks

LONDON, March 24.—Closing stock quotations: Can. Pac., $43; Braz. Trac., $22 3-8; Distillers, £2 13s 6d; Dunlop Rubber, 12s 6d; Hydro-Elec., $25 1-4; Impl. Chem., 16s 6d; Impl. Tob., £4 13s 10 1-2d; Intl. Hold. & Inv. Co., $2 7-8; Intl. Nkl., $19 1-8; Shell T. & T., £3 5s; Vickers, 7s 10 1-2d.

VICTORY BONDS AND WAR LOAN SECURITIES

(Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd.)

DOMINION LOAN, 5%

1931	100.80	101.10
1937	106.65	107.95
1943	104.40	104.90

DOMINION LOAN, 5½%

1932	102.15	102.60
1933	104.05	104.40
1937	110.40	111.10
1934	104.05	104.39

DOMINION LOAN, 4½%

1940	100.40	101.10
1944	100.40	101.10
1949	100.40	101.10

C.N.R. LOAN, 4½%

1954	100.00	100⅝
1957	99	100⅝
1966	100¼	110⅝
1956	100¼	100⅝

C.N.R. LOAN, 5%

1954	106⅝	106⅝
1969	106⅝	106⅝
1970	106⅝	106⅝

C.N.S.S. LOAN, 5%

1955	105⅝	106⅝

(Plus brokerage charges.)

METAL MARKET

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Standard copper, spot £44 2s 6d; futures £44 15s. Electrolytic, spot £47; futures £48. Tin, spot £121 5s; futures £122 15s. Lead, spot £11 15s; futures £12 10s. Zinc, spot £11 10s; futures £11 17s 6d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Copper, steady. Electrolytic, spot and futures 10. Iron, quiet, unchanged. Tin, easy; spot and nearby 26.95; futures 27.15. Lead, steady; spot, New York, 4.50; East St. Louis, 4.25. Zinc, quiet; East St. Louis, spot and futures 4.00. Antimony, 7.00.

Wheat Values Stea[dy] On Winnipeg Mar[ket] Session Is Inac[tive]

WINNIPEG, March 24 (CP).—Uninterested wheat traders passed a dull day on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today. No bullish or bearish reports, strong enough to budge values up or down, appeared and the session was one of the most inactive of the year.

The July future was the only month to display any change from yesterday's figures at the close of trading, advancing 1-8 cent to 58 3-4 cents per bushel. May and October were unchanged, the former at 57 1-8 and the latter at 60 3-4.

Cash wheat and coarse grain prices were unchanged to fractionally lower.

(Logan & Bryan)

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May	57¼	56⅛	57
July	58⅝	59	59⅝
Oct.	60⅞	60½	60⅝
Oats—			
May	29¼	27⅞	29½

July	26⅝
Oct.	31⅛
Rye—	
May	31⅛
July	33⅛
Oct.	35⅛
Barley—	
May	26⅛
July	27⅝
October	30⅛
Flax—	
May	106
July	106¼
October	108⅝

INDEMNITIES

Wheat—	Bid
May	56⅝
July	59⅛
October	60⅛

CASH CLOSES

Wheat—No. 1 N. 55⅛; 2 N. 5[...] 49⅝; No. 4 W. 44⅝; 5 W. 42⅛; 6 [...] feed, 39⅛; track, 55¾.
Oats—No. 2 CW. 26⅝; 3 CW. 23[...] No. 1 feed, 23⅝; 1 feed, 22⅝; 2 fe[ed ...] rejected, 19⅛; track, 26⅞.
Rye—Nos. 1 and 2 CW. 29⅞; 2 C[W ...] rejected, 23½; track, 30⅛.
Barley—No. 3 CW. 24⅝; 4 CW[...] 5 CW. 19⅝; 6 CW. 17⅛; track, 2[...]
Flax—No. 1 NWC. 102½; No. 2 CW[...] 2 CW. 97½; rejected, 97⅛; track, [...]

TORONTO MINING STOCK EXCHAN[GE]

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—Specialties had another innings [in] the mining market today, with [the] major portion of the list receiv[ing] only relatively light treatment a[nd] closing practically unchanged. Sa[les] showed another decrease, due to [a re]duction in quantity of lower-pric[ed] stock turned over, total of 755,0[00] shares comparing with 880,000 ye[s]terday.

On buying said to have largel[y] originated in the North, Wright-Hargreaves moved steadily upward to a high of $2.25, and closed with a net gain of 16 at $2.22. Lake Shore and McIntyre also firmed, and Vipond and Sylvanite advanced a couple apiece. Eldorado, after a strong opening, lost 8 to $1.12.

Though International Nickel moved up a half and Noranda was firm, majority of base metals reflected the reductions in export copper. Hudson Bay dropped 30 to $5.75; Base Metals, 10 to $1.15, and Amulet, a couple to 38 cents.

Homestead Oil advanced to $1.70 on the opening, but closed off 10 from last night at $1.50. Alberta Pacific sold up 11 to 31 cents on reports of important developments in the Spring Coulee field, and Nordon regained a couple to 43 cents. Petrol was 5 down at 29 cents.

COPPER PRICE CUT

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—A reduction of a quarter of a cent in the price of export copper was made today.

The new price of 10.30 cents a pound, c.i.f. European base ports, established by Copper Exporters, Inc., was made effective for a limited tonnage. After that amount is sold the price automatically will return to 10.55 cents. The amount made available at the lower price was not disclosed.

The reduction stimulated buying in the foreign market and during the forenoon today sales amounted to 5,500,000 pounds, in contrast to the dullness that has prevailed in both domestic and export markets for several days. A better inquiry also was reported in the domestic market.

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$1,000 Vancouver 5%, July 17, 1939	102.08	4.70%
$1,000 Vancouver 5%, January 1, 1942	103.00	4.65%
$1,000 Vancouver 5%, June 1, 1944	103.50	4.65%
$2,000 Vancouver 5%, July 1, 1964	105.90	4.65%
$1,000 Vancouver 5%, February 1, 1965	105.95	4.65%
$3,000 Vancouver 5%, April 1, 1965	105.95	4.65%

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Rail Issues Lead in Afternoon Rally on New York Exchange

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Cross currents of uncertainty rippled over the financial markets today.

Share trading on the stock exchange was without particular significance from the longer term viewpoint, and the day's sales of 1,900,000 shares were the smallest in six weeks. The market was heavy in the morning, when grains were making new lows, recovered early in the afternoon and came to life under more active covering towards the close.

Stocks that were weakest in the recent markets came forward with the best gains. Westinghouse, Air Reduction, United States Industrial Alcohol, National Cash Register and National Distillers rose 2 to 3 points net. Rails, far from shying off at February's unfavorable earning statements, were the first to firm and showed advances of 1 to 5 points. McKeesport Tin Plate and Newport Company came to the fore with liberal gains, while energetic Auburn outdid itself with a maximum rise of 23 1-2 to 24 1-2, closing at 240, up 21 points.

Less excitable shares about recovered yesterday's losses.

The bond market was irregularly lower. Declines were most frequent among foreign Government obligations.

United States Government obligations were lower on moderate sales.

Domestic corporate bonds developed a downward trend also, but the movement was less marked.

(Logan & Bryan)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
ELECTRICAL AND MFG.			
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	27-2	26-1	27-2
Amn. Brown Boveri	6-7	..	6-7
Elec. Auto Lite	71-4	69-2	71-1
Elec. Storage Batt.	65-6	65-4	65-6
Foster Wheeler	61	59	60
General Electric	52-2	51-5	52-1
Int. Combus. Engr.	3-3	2-1	3-1
Westinghouse El.	94-5	90-3	93-6
Genl. Realty	7-5	7-2	7-2
MISCELLANEOUS AND MFG.			
Abitibi Power & Pap.	11-4	11	11-4
Amn. Can Co.	127-6	124-2	127-3
Amn. Ice	29-2	..	29-2
Bendix	23-7	23-1	23-6
Burroughs Adding	28-4	..	28-4
Case Threshing	115-7	111-6	115-5
Columbia Graph.	13-5	13	13-3
Congoleum-Nairn	10-2	10	10-2
Continental Can.	59-4	56-5	59-2
Curtiss-Wright	5-1	4-7	5
Dupont de Nemours	104-6	103-5	103-7
Eastman Kodak	171	168-9	171
Gillette	32	30-4	31-7
Gold Dust	41-5	40-3	41-4
Intl. Harvester	56-2	55-3	55-4
Natl. Cash Register	32-7	29-6	32-7
Pullman	52	51-4	52
Radio Corpn. of Amn.	26-4	26	26-1
Remington-Rand	14-7	14-5	14-5
Simmons Co.	18-2	16	18-2
Underwood Type	67-4	..	67-4
Worthington Pump	92-4	68-6	91-2
RAILS			
Allegheny Corpn.	10-2	9-4	10-1
Atchison	192	188	192
Atlantic Coast	103-4	..	103-4
Baltimore & Ohio	75-7	73-4	74-2
Canadian Pacific	42-2	41-5	42-1
Ches. & Ohio	42-2	41-1	42
Chicago & Northw.	39-4	38-4	39-2
Chicago Gt. West	6-6	..	6-6
C., M. & St. Paul	6-7	..	6-7
Chicago Rock Island	60	58-3	60
Del. & Hudson	145	144	145
Del., Lack & West	77-2	76-4	77
Erie	30-7	30	30-7
Gt. Northern pfd.	64-2	63-4	64-3
Ill. Central	75	74	75
Louis. & Nash.	99	..	96
Mo., K. & Tex.	21-7	21	21-6
N.Y. Central	113-4	110-2	112-4
N.Y., New Haven & H.	90-6	88	90-6
Norfolk & West	198-2	197-4	197-6
Pennsylvania R.R.	58-6	58-1	58-4
St. Louis San Fran.	29-4	28-4	28-4
Southern Pacific	99-7	98-6	99-7
Southern Ry.	53	51-2	52-7
Union Pacific	192	188-4	191-5
STEEL AND IRON			
Amn. Car & Found.	34	33-1	33-1
Amn. Locomotive	28	..	28
Baldwin Loco	26-4	25-7	26-2
Bethlehem Steel	64-4	62-6	64-4
Byers (AM) Co.	57-2	55-1	57-2
Crucible Steel	49-6	48-6	49-6
Gen. Ry. Signal	78	75-6	76
General Tank	69-6	68-2	69-6
Rep. Iron & Steel	22-4	21-5	22-4
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	24-2	32-7	24
U.S. Steel	147-3	145-1	147-2
Westingh. Air Brake	24-5	..	24-5
Youngstown Sheet	74	..	74
AUTOMOBILE AND ACCESS.			
Auburn	242-4	216	240
Briggs	22-3	21-1	21-5
Checker Cab	14	13-1	14
Chrysler	[illegible]	23-2	[illegible]
Continental M.	4	..	4
General Motor	47-2	46	47-1
Hudson	23-8	22-6	22-7
Hupp	11-7	11-4	11-7
Mack Truck	40	39-3	40
Motor Wheel	18-2	..	18-3
Nash	40-4	39	39-5
Packard	10	9-7	10
Stewart-Warner	20-3	19-6	20-3
Studebaker	26	24-4	25
Timken Roller	57	..	57
Willys-Overland	7-4	7-2	7-4
Yellow Truck	14-4	14-1	14-3
United Aircraft	26-4	24-7	26-1
TIRES AND RUBBER			
Goodrich	18-4	16-3	18-2
Goodyear	48-5	49	48-4
Kelly-Springfield	3-1	2-6	3-1
U.S. Rubber	19-5	18-2	19-5
PUBLIC UTILITY			
Amn. Foreign Power	47-3	45-3	46-7
Amn. Power & Light	57-7	56-7	57-7
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	187-1	193-6	196-4
Amn. Waterworks	72	70	72
Columbia Gas	44	42	44
Consol Gas, N.Y.	107-6	106-2	106-4
Elec. Power & Light	59-2	67	69
Inter. Tel. & Tel.	27-4	26	27-4
North American	87	85-2	87
Pacific Gas & Elec.	53-4	52	53-4
So. Cal. Edison	62	50-3	52
Stand. Gas & Elec.	55-2	82-6	84-4
United Corpn.	20-2	29-2	20-3
Util. Power & Lt. "A"	26-6	29-4	29-4
Natl. Power & Lite	43	41	42-6
FOOD PRODUCTS			
Amn. Sugar	59-7	57-4	59-7
Borden Co.	75-7	74-4	75-5
Cal. Pkg.	45	..	45
Canada Dry	37-4	..	37-4
Cont. Baking "A"	25	22-4	22-5
Corn Products	85-4	85	85-1
Cuban Amn. Sugar	5-6	5	5-6
Gen. Foods	54-4	54-1	54-2
Gt. West Sugar	10-6	..	10-6
Loose Wiles Biscuits	53-4	53	63-4
National Biscuit	81	80-6	81
Natl. Dairy Prod.	50	48-7	50
Penick & Ford	42-2	41	41-4
Safeway Stores	65-2	60-6	64-4
Standard Brands	20-1	19-5	19-7
United Fruit	65	64-4	65
Ward Baking "B"	6-5	6-4	6-5
APPAREL			
American Woolen	10-6	..	10-6
Julius Kayser	22-3	20-7	21-7
Spiesel May	17	15-2	17
U.S. Leather "A"	13-6	..	12-6
RETAIL TRADE			
Assoc. Dry Goods	28-5	28	28-1
Childs Co.	22	21-4	21-4
Drug, Inc.	76-2	75-2	79
S. S. Kresge Co.	27	..	27
Krueger Toll	27-2	26-6	27-2
Montgomery Ward	26-6	25-5	26-6
Sears Roebuck	58-7	57-6	58-7
Schulte Retail	10-1	10	10
F. W. Woolworth	64-4	63-5	64-4
TOBACCOS			
Amn. Tobacco "B"	120	118-4	120
Consol Cigar	29	..	29
Ligett Meyers "B"	89	88-2	88-2
Lorillard	18-7	18-2	18-4
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	51-5	51	51-4
Tobacco Prod. "B"	3-3	3-1	3-1
MISCELLANEOUS			
Certanteed Prod.	6-7	6-2	6-3
Foundation Co.	15	14-2	15
Fox Film "A"	27-2	28	27-2
General Asphalt	44-2	41-5	44-2
Intl. Cement	54	53-4	53-4
Intl. Match pfd.	71	68-9	71
Johns-Manville	78-5	76-5	78-3
Loews	60	57-4	59-6
Otis Elevator	56	55-4	55-5
Paramount Famous	47-6	46-2	47-2
Radio-Keith-Orph.	24-2	23-2	24
Shuert Theatre	7-4	7-2	7-4
Tex. Pacific Land	15-2	15	15
Trans America	14-4	14-2	14-4
U.S. Realty	32-8	..	32-8
Warner Bros.	14-1	13-3	14
Comn. & Southern	11-5	11-2	11-5
Amn. International	21	20-2	21
CHEMICAL			
Air Reduction	100	97-2	100
Allied Chemical	159-4	152	159
Columbia Carbon	98-4	91-2	98-2
Com. Solvents	20-1	19-5	20
Davison Chem.	20	19-4	19-4
Freeport Texas	41-7	41	41-2
Lambert	85-2	85	85
Lehn & Fink	33-1	..	23-1
Mathieson Alkali	26-1	25-7	26
Natl. Distillers	23-7	22-4	23-7
Tex. Gulf Sulphur	52-6	52-2	52-4
Union Carbide	68	66-2	67-2
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	54-1	51	54-1
Va. Car Chem.	2-4	..	2-4
OIL & REFINING			
Amerada	21-2	21-1	21-1
Atlantic Ref.	20-2	19-6	20
Barnsdall	12-2	12	12-2
Cont. Oil	9-6	9-4	9-8
Houston Oil	59-3	57-2	59-2
Mid. Cont. Pete	12-6	..	12-6
Phillips Petro	11-7	11-4	11-6
Prairie Pipe	22-1	22	22
Richfield Oil	4-2	..	4-2
Royal Dutch	36	27-5	28
Shell Union Oil	7-7	7-5	7-7
Sinclair Cons. Oil	13-5	13-1	13-5
Skelly Oil	9	8-5	8-6
Stand. Oil, Cal.	45-4	45	45-2
Stand. Oil, N.J.	46-4	45-6	46-4
Stand. Oil, N.Y.	22-5	22-2	22-4
Texas Corpn.	20	29-5	29-5
Texas Pac. Coal	5	..	6
Union Oil, Cal.	22-6	22-2	22-2
MINING AND SMELTING			
Alaska Juneau	9-1	8-7	9
Amn. Metal	21	..	21
Amn. Smelting	52	50-7	51-2
Anaconda Copper	37-4	26-6	27-2
Calumet Arizona	41	40-4	41
Calumet Hecla	9-4	..	9-4
Cerro De Pasco	26-4	26-2	26-2
Howe Sound	26-7	26-2	26-7
Inspiration	9-5	..	9-6
Intl. Nickel	19-5	18-4	19-3
Kennecott	28-2	27-7	28-3
McKeesport Tin	95-6	88-4	95-9
Nevada Cons.	13-2	12	13-1
Patino Mines	13	..	13
Phelps Dodge	23	..	23
U.S. Smelting	23-4	22	23
Vanadium	73-2	69-1	72-4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Foreign exchanges steady.
France—3.91 6-16; cables 3.92 7-16.
Italy—5.22 9-16; cables 5.24.
Belgium—13.92½.
Germany—23.83.
Holland—40.10.
Norway—26.75.
Sweden—26.77½.
Denmark—26.74¾.
Switzerland—19.24¾.
Spain—10.74.
Portugal—4.50.
Greece—1.29 7-16.
Poland—11.20.
Czechoslovakia—2.96¼.
Jugoslavia—1.76¾.
Austria—14.06.
Rumania—.59 9-16.
Argentina—34.67½.
Brazil—7.40.
Tokio—49.35.
Shanghai—32.62½.
Montreal—99.95 5-16.
Mexico City (gold peso)—47.20.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 25.—Demand 485; cables 486; 60-day bills 482 6-16.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

(Financial Counsel via Logan & Bryan Wires)

MONTREAL, March 24.—Strong recovering tendencies in Wall Street were soon reflected in the market for Canadian stocks, which in the early part of the session sagged off quite steadily. From the lows of the day, however, later rallies were moderately substantial and the market closed in something of a rallying mood. One of the outstanding features of the day was Brazilian, which, on continued reports of weakness in the exchange rate around 7.25 cents to the milreis, fell to 21 3-8 but later with a New York demand helping, prices rallied to 25 and closed 22 1-2.

A number of situations have been developed lately which make it important that the investor and trader exercise considerable discretion in making his commitments. For instance, the reversals which have taken place in more speculative stocks, such as Atlantic Sugar and Viau Biscuit, would seem to hold a warning that in order to trade in stocks something must be known of conditions surrounding them in a corporate as well as market sense. There are certain stocks which today are pointing steadily upward which are extremely difficult to analyze and yet which actually may be considered attractive. Of others, just the reverse is true and it is up to the individual to make his own decisions. The broadening tendency of prices is making the field more fruitful for the tipster but suggestions from these sources should be verified before being acted upon.

PRICE CHANGES

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—The stock market lost considerable ground today, Atlantic Sugar and Hamilton Bridge dropping over two points each, while practically all other active issues showed fractional losses. Brazilian Traction, Montreal Power, Cockshutt and others were among the fractional losers. International Nickel was an exception, being 1-4 stronger at the close. Atlantic Sugar closed at 24 3-4, off 2 3-4; Hamilton Bridge was down 2 1-2 at 16 1-4; Massey-Harris lost 1-2 at 7 1-2.

Smelters eased a point at 175, while Dominion Textile was one point better at 82.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper pfd.	41¼	43¾
Beatty Bros. com.	16	..
Beatty Bros. pfd.	76	..
Bell Telephone	148	148¼
Brazilian T., L. & P.	21⅝	21¾
B.A. Oil	12⅝	13
B.C. Packers	2	2¼
B.C. Power "A"	41⅝	42
B.C. Power "B"	18	17
Building Products "A"	24¾	..
Canadian Bakeries "A"	18	..
Can. Canners "B"	12⅞	13
Can. Cement pfd.	96¾	..
Canada Gypsum	10	10½
Canadian Hydro Electric	78	80
Canadian Pacific (New York)	42¼	..
Can. Steamships pfd.	20	..
Cockshutt Plow	9	6¼
Con. Smelters	174½	175
Cosmos Imp. com.	6¾	..
Dominion Bridge	47½	48
Dominion Glass	122	125
Dominion Textile	60½	62
Ford of Canada "A"	28¼	26½
Frost Steel & Wire com.	6	..
Frost Steel & Wire pfd.	96	..
General Steel Wares	5½	6
Goodyear Tire	115	117
Hamilton Bridge	16¼	16⅝
Hinde & Dauch. com.	4	5½
Home Oil	1.05	1.08
Imperial Oil	16	19¼
Imperial Tobacco	9⅞	10½
International Nickel	18½	16⅝
International Petroleum	12	12⅛
International Utilities "A"	45	..
Lake of the Woods com.	14	16
Massey-Harris com.	7⅝	7⅞
McColl Frontenac	15½	15¾
Montreal Power	65⅝	65½
Nat. Breweries	24⅜	24½
Noranda	26.25	29.40
Ogilvie Flour	..	288
Ottawa L., H. & P.	91¼	..
Page-Hersey Tubes	90¼	92
Power Corporation	..	62¾
Quebec Power	45	45½
Riverside "A"	14	15
Service Station "A"	28½	29
Service Station Pfd. "A"	68	..
Shawinigan W. & P.	57¼	57½
Sherritt Gordon	1.12	1.15
Sherwin-Williams	27⅝	26
Steel of Canada com.	39¾	40⅝
Sudbury Basin	.80	.84
Ventures	.79	.81
Walkers G. & W.	7⅝	8
Winnipeg Electric com.	20¼	21¼

EGG MARKET

PRICE TO PRODUCERS

	Ext.	1sts	2nds
Vancouver	16	14	12
Victoria	16-17	14-15	12-13
Edmonton	14	12	10
Calgary	15	12	11
Winnipeg	17	15	10
Toronto	18-19	16-17	14-15
Montreal	21-22	19-21	17-19
St. John	24-26	22	15-16
Halifax	24-25	22-23	16-17
JOBBING PRICE			
Vancouver	20-22	18-20	17-19
Victoria	20-21	17-16	15-17

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Futures quotations, bid:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	64¼	54⅝	54¼	54⅝
May	55⅛	55⅝	66¼	55⅝

Cash—	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	59⅛	54⅝
No. 1 Northern	55⅝	54⅛
No. 2 Northern	51⅝	48⅛
No. 3 Northern	47⅝	43⅝
No. 4 Wheat	42⅝	40⅝
No. 5 Wheat	41⅛	25⅛
No. 6 Wheat	30⅛	39⅝
Feed	36½	35⅝

WHEAT SLUMP ON CHICAGO MARKET ENDS

Stabilization Corporation Increased Its Selling Price on Old Crop No. 1 Hard

IOWA REPORTS DAMAGE DUE TO HESSIAN FLY

(Logan & Bryan)

CHICAGO, March 24.—Announcement in the late trade that the Stabilization Corporation would increase its selling price on old No. 2 hard, starting April 1, resulted in short covering and improved commission house buying in the late trade, with final prices practically at last night's close after recording new lows for the season earlier in the day. The increasing difference between old and new crop positions will probably mean renewed selling of wheat by the country.

Chairman Stone, of the Farm Board, said the decision to buy no 1931 wheat has been made at this time to give Spring wheat farmers fair warning. A sizeable reduction in the Spring acreage is expected.

Australian reports suggested the possibility of some arrangement between that country and Argentine in regard to sales. A conference to consider advisability of this having been called for some time in April, in Australia.

Winnipeg reports late in the day said there did not apper to be much actual pressure on the market. It is possible that the wheat may become oversold, temporarily, at least. There was quite good commission house buying at times. Reports from country agents to Ames College, Iowa, noted heavy damage from Hessian fly.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May	82¾	82½	82½
July	59¾	58½	59¾
Sept.	60	59	69¾
Corn—			
Mar.	61	59¾	60¼
May	64¼	62¾	63¼
July	65¾	63½	64¼
Sept.	65¾	62¾	64¾

INDEMNITIES

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
July	59¼	60¾
Sept.	59¼	60¾

CASH CLOSES

Wheat—No. 2 Hard, 77; 4 H., 76; 1 N.S., 79¼; 1 M., 78¼.

Corn—No. 2 M., 61 @ 62; 3 M., 69½ @ 60½; 4 M., 58 @ 56½; 2 Y., 61 @ 62½; 3 Y., 59½ @ 61¾; 4 Y., 57½ @ 59½; 2 W., 61¾ @ 62; 3 W., 61¼ @ 61½; 4 W., 60 @ 60¼.

Oats—No. 2 W., 21½ @ 22.

Rye—None.

Montreal-Toronto Stock Quotations

(Logan & Bryan)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Bid
Abitibi Power	..	..	10-6
Alberta Pac.	..	..	4
Asbestos	..	..	0-4
Atlantic Sugar	27-4	23-4	24
Bell Telephone	..	..	148
B.C. Packing	..	..	2
Brazil	22-2	21-3	22
B.C. Power "A"	42	41-4	42
B.C. Power "B"	..	..	16-1
Can. Car Fdy.	..	..	17
Can. Cement	17-4	17-2	17-4
Can. Gen. Electric	..	..	262
Can. Ind. Al. "A"	..	..	4
Can. Power	1-5	1-4	1-5
Can. Steamers	..	..	7-2
Cockshutt Plow	..	..	9-2
Cons. M. & S.	174-4	173	172
Dominion Bridge	..	..	48
Dominion Glass	..	..	125
Dominion Textile	..	..	61
Fraser Cos.	..	..	2
General Steel Wares	..	..	5-6
Hamilton Bridge	..	..	17
Intl. Nickel	16-2	18-6	19-1
Lake of Woods	..	..	15
Massey-Harris	7-6	7-4	7-6
Montreal Power	67	65	65-7
Natl. Brewing	24-4	34	24-1
Natl. Steel Car	..	..	28
Ogilvie	..	..	286
Power Corpn.	62-7	62-2	62-2
Price Bros.	37-6	27-5	27-6
Quebec Power	..	..	46
Shawinigan	56	57-2	57-2
Steel of Can.	..	..	40
Winnipeg Elec.	..	..	20-2
CURBS			
Ass'd Breweries	6	8-6	6
B.A. Oil	12-1	12-6	12
Canada Dredge	..	..	23-6
Distillers-Seagram	12-4	12-2	12-2
Dryden Paper	..	..	5
East Dairies	..	..	25
Imperial Oil	16-1	16	16
Imperial Tobacco Can.	10-1	10	10
Intl. Petrol	12-1	12	12
McColl Frontenac	..	..	16-1
Page-Hersey	..	..	68
Walker-Good	..	..	8
UTILITIES			
Intl. Ut "A"	..	..	45

BANKS

	Bid	Asked
Canadienne	173-4	..
Commerce	230	..
Imperial	218	..
Montreal	202-4	203
Nova Scotia	218	..
Royal	290	..
Toronto	233	..

MISCELLANEOUS

	High	Low	Bid
Can. Canners 2nd pfd.	12	12-7	12
Canada Gypsum	..	..	10-2
Canada Dredge	..	..	23-6
Loblaw Grocers	..	..	14-1
MINES			
Amulet	39	36	25
Coast Copper	..	..	5.00
Hudson Bay	6.00	5.95	5.95
Hollinger	..	..	5.20
Lake Shore	26.25	29.00	28.25
Mining Corpn.	2.95	2.60	2.62
McIntyre	..	..	22.25
Nipissing	..	..	1.70
Noranda	27.00	26.25	29.95
Premier Gold	72	70	72
Pend O'Reille	1.50	1.40	1.45
Teck Hughes	7.90	7.60	7.60
Wright Harg.	2.20	2.06	2.20

FOREIGN BONDS

(Logan & Bryan)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7's, 1945, "A"	97⅝	98¼
Argentine 6's, 1957	66⅝	97⅛
Argentine 6's, 1956	66⅝	97¼
Austrian 7's, 1942	105⅝	106¼
Belgian 6's, 1955	102⅝	104⅛
Belgian 7's, 1955	112⅝	114½
Belgian 7's, 1956	110	110¼
Bolivia 6's, 1947	40⅝	41¼
Brazil 6½'s, 1957	66⅝	67¼
Bordeaux 6's, 1924	100⅛	106
Buenos Aires 7½'s, 1947	66	96¼
Chile 6's, 1960	85	85½
Chile 7's, 1942	96⅝	99⅛
Costa Rica 7's, 1951	78⅛	76⅝
Denmark 5½'s, 1955	110	110½
French 7's, 1946	118¼	118⅝
French 7½'s, 1941	125¼	125⅝
German 7's, 1949	104⅛	105¼
Italy 7's, 1951	99⅝	99⅝
Peru 7's, 1957	98⅛	68⅝
Japan 6½'s, 1954	105¼	106
Lyons 6's, 1934	105⅛	106
MSS. 6's, 1924	105⅛	105⅝
Nord 6½'s, 1950	100⅛	100⅝
Norway 9's, 1944	105⅛	106
Polish 6's, 1940	72⅛	72⅝
Paraguay 9's, 1958	104⅛	105
Paraguay 7's, 1958	101	101¼
Seine 7's	107¼	107⅛
SSS. 6's, 1936	105⅛	106⅛
Siemen Halske 9½'s, 1951	100¼	100⅝
Uruguay 8's, 1946	102⅞	102⅝

A.P. Consolidated Nets 13 Cent Gain; Mine Shares Ease

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—A vigorous recovery in A.P. Consolidated, based on bullish news from the Spring Coulee field, enlivened the Vancouver stock market, Tuesday. The remainder of the oils displayed group strength under the influence of the leader. Gains were unimportant. In neglected trading the mines shares worked narrowly downward.

The quickness of the market to respond to favorable news was once more shown by the action of A.P. Consolidated. The stock opened strong at 25 cents and advanced to a high for this movement at 34 cents, at which price it closed, a net gain of 13 cents. A.P. Consolidated accounted for 19,100 shares of the turnover of 44,052 shares.

Although offerings were light in the less active oils, gains ruled in the majority at the close. Mayland and Dalhousie were prominent in the gains column, with the former closing 3 cents higheer at 46 cents and the latter 4 1-2 cents at 37 1-2 cents. Eastcrest rose 2 cents to 36 cents, while Home hardened 1 cent to 1.06.

Outstanding in the mines group was Premier Gold, which was forced down 2 cents to 68 cents in a late bear raid. Pioneer Gold dropped 2 cents to 1.55 and Big Missouri ended the day unchanged. In the base metals group Pend Oreille sagged 3 cents to 1.40, and Reeves-McDonald eased 1 cent to 42 cents. Prices in the "penny" mines division were fractionally weaker.

AFTERNOON SALES

Oils

Amalgamated—500 at .05.
A.P. Con.—500 at .31; 3,600 at .32; 1,200 at .22½; 7,400 at .23; 500 at .33½; 1,100 at .34.
Calmont Oil—1,000 at .15.
Fabyan Pete.—2,000 at .03¼.
Home Oil—50 at 1.08.
Illinois-Alberta—500 at .02½.

Listed Mines

Beaver Silver—1,000 at .04½.
Georgia River—2,000 at .03.
Nat. Silver—200 at .02½; 1,000 at .03.
Pend Oreille—100 at 1.42.
Premier Gold—3,100 at .07; 50 at .72.
Reeves-McDonald—500 at .41.
Ruth-Hope—1,000 at .06.

Industrials

Coast Breweries—47 at 12.75.

Curb Exchange

Bluebird—2,000 at .02.
Kootenay King—1,000 at .00½.
Silvercrest—100 at .02.
Topley-Richfield—1,000 at .01¾.
Crow's Nest—2,000 at .04½.
Nordon Corp.—500 at .43; 1,000 at .45.

MORNING SALES

Oils

A.P. Con.—1,000 at .25; 500 at .29; 2,300 at .30.
Fabyan Pete.—2,000 at .03¼.
Freehold—100 at .07.
Home Oil—100 at 1.07.
Merland—200 at .12½.
Mercury—700 at .19½.
McLeod Oil—300 at .40.

Mines

Big Missouri—1,000 at .45.
Duthie Mines—1,000 at .10.
Georgia River—3,000 at .03; 500 at .02½.
Grandview—200 at .06.
Pend Oreille—600 at 1.40.
Reeves-McDonald—1,900 at .40.
Reno Gold—1,000 at .30.

Curb Exchange

Cork Province—5,000 at .02.
Lucky Jim—10,000 at .03.
Silverado—500 at .05½.
Nordon Corp.—500 at .42; 100 at .43.

Whitney Says Upturn Due to Begin Friday

(Logan & Bryan)

NEW YORK, March 24.—Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says: There is every likelihood that the closing strength of Tuesday's market will be carried over into the early part of today, following which, it is expected that an irregular reaction will develop. I think that if the anticipated irregular reaction comes in the last part of today's session, you can well afford to pick up stocks, and I would not wait for the average issue to duplicate or violate the low points seen yesterday, for I think you will find that they will fight shy of them. At the moment I see no reason for altering the opinion expressed here at the start of the week, when it was stated that we were faced with three or four days of irregular reaction, and that by the close on Thursday a definite turn to higher prices would be well under way.

The outstanding characteristic of the present market is its ability to ride through bad news in an impressive maner. I think that the much-discussed pending unfavorable dividend actions if, as and when they transpire, will not have the effect on the market that pessimists believe. In fact, it would not be a bit surprising if the predicted gloom, when it appears, is far rosier than expected. Personally I think that what unfavorable dividend news does come, is liable to result in considerable short covering, and I also believe that there is an excellent chance of some of the forecasts regarding the dividend actions proving inaccurate.

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, March 24 (CP).—The following wheat quotations were supplied by Broomhall, Liverpool, today: all prices c.i.f.:

	Today	Y'day
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, April	75¼	76⅝
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic, April	72⅝	79
No. 3 Man. Northern, Atlantic, April	68¼	69⅝
Argentine (Barusso 63½ lbs.), April	59⅛	60⅝
Argentine (Rosafe 63 lbs.), April	56½	61¼
Australian (new crop), March	63	63⅝
Russian (afloat), average sample	56⅝	61⅝

Note.—The above was translated from British weights and currency to Canadian bushels and money at today's exchange rate between banks, which was $4.85⅝.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24.—Bonded wheat closed irregular.

	High	Low	Close
May	60¼	59⅝	60¼
July	61⅞	61⅛	61⅞
October	64¼	62⅝	b64¼

NEW YORK CURB

(Logan & Bryan)

	Bid	Asked
Ass'd G. & E. "A"	22⅝	22¾
Carib Syndicate	1⅛	1⅜
Cities Service com.	19⅛	20
Cities Service pfd.	82⅝	83⅞
Club Alum	2⅛	4
Columbia Syncate	0⅝	0⅝
Cont. Oil	4⅝	10
Creole Pete	2	2¼
Durant Motors of Del.	2⅝	2⅝
Electric Bond & Share	56¼	58¼
Engineers Gold	0⅝	0⅝
Gulf Oil	66⅝	67¼
Hudson Bay M. & S.	5⅝	6⅝
Lion Refs.	9	7
Newmont Mining	51¼	51⅝
Noranda Mines	29⅝	27
Ford of Canada "A"	..	26½
Niles Bemont Pond	21	21½
Pantepec Oil	1⅛	1⅜
Premier Gold	0⅝	0⅝
Shattuck Denn	6	8¼
Stand. Oil, Ind.	31⅝	22
Stutz Motors	26⅝	27
Todd Shipyard	46	49
Trans. Contl. Airway	7¼	7½
Imperial Oil, Canada, "C"	15⅝	15⅞
Intl Petroleum	12⅛	12½
United L. & P. "A" (new)	21⅝	22
United Verde Extn.	12⅝	13¼
Venez. Pete	1⅛	1⅜
Vacuum Oil	55	55½
Hollinger	5⅛	5⅛
Bunkerhill & Sullivan	40⅛	54
United Gas	10⅝	..
United Founders	6⅝	..

MONEY MARKET

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Money, 1 1-2 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 2 9-16 @ 2 5-8 per cent; three months, 2 9-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Call money, steady, 1 1-2 per cent, all day. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 1 1-2 @ 1 3-4; ninety days, 1 3-4 @ 2; four months, 2 @ 2 1-4; five-six months, 2 1-4 @ 2 1-2 per cent. Prime commercial paper, 2 1-4 @ 2 1-2. Bankers' acceptances, unchanged.

DOMINION STEEL REPORT ISSUED

Profits for First Year of Reorganization of Big Companies Are Detailed

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—Earnings available against the "B" common stock of Dominion Steel & Coal Corporation, Limited, for the year ending December 31, 1930, its first year of existence following the reorganization of British Empire Steel Corporation and other companies, amounted to $1.02 per share compared with an average of $1.50 on the corresponding stock of constituent companies for the years 1929, 1928 and 1927, it was shown in the report issued here today.

The combined profits of the corporation from the year's operations and returns from investments amounted to $2,296,390. Deducting $679,459, covering requirements for interest on debenture stock deposited with bankers, there remained a balance of $1,616,930. A further amount of $758,497 was deducted for depreciation and depletion reserve. This left a balance of $858,433 available against $841,760 shares of "B" common stock, representing earnings of $1.02 a share.

CALGARY OIL NEWS

(Mason & Disspecker)

CALGARY, March 24.—Coincident with a decision to concentrate in Southern Alberta, Nordon Corporation, large leasing and royalty company, will establish its head office at Calgary, it is learned.

The change in policy was announced at the recent annual meeting of the company at New York. A letter to shareholders to this effect will shortly be circulated over the name of Glen M. Ruby, president of the company.

Besides its extensive royalty and leasing activities in Southern United States fields, Nordon has conducted a comprehensive study of conditions in the southern part of the province, where the major part of 107,000 acres in Alberta are located.

The attention of major companies, including Imperial, Texas, Cities Service, through its subsidiary, Alberta Fuel and Gas, have been attracted to this part of the province.

Nordon officials, it is understood, expect that large operators will take advantage of the company's acreage here and that at least the beginning of a programme will be launched this Summer in areas which have undergone extensive core testing. B. F. Hake, geologist, has been in charge of the field work in Alberta.

A.P. Consolidated (Taber), abandoned by the Cole-Hunter Syndicate as a hopeless fishing jib, has taken the Alberta Pacific Consolidated drilling crew, under the supervision of G. W. Scott, general manager, and Eugene Young, driller, only two weeks to remove the lost tools from the Taber well, recently acquired by A.P.C.

A.P. Consolidated (Spring Coulee)—It is expected that the bit will penetrate the Madison limesotne at about 6,000 feet. The present depth of the well is more than 5,880 feet. Officials of the company have not yet decided what will be done when the Madison limestone is encountered.

Paintearth No. 1—Reports from Castor over the week-end indicate that the Paintearth No. 1 well, being drilled by the Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas Company, has struck a huge flow of salt water. This will necessitate a cementing job before drilling can be continued.

British Dominion No. 3 struck a gas flow of between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 cubic feet at a total depth of 5,295 feet, ninety-five feet in the limestone, J. H. Goodwin, president of the British Dominion Oil and Development Company, announced yesterday. Drilling was proceeding. The early strike of gas is considered most encouraging.

Fabyan Petroleum—A representative of an Old Country firm backing the Canadian Resources, Limited, seeking a natural gas franchise in Saskatchewan, will arrive in Saskatoon about April 10, when they will be prepared to open negotiations with the city council. They sailed from England yesterday.

Establishment of a system which would supply Saskatoon as well as Regina and Moose Jaw, is proposed. Wells located in the Fabyan area would be the source of supply.

A. S. Sibbald, Saskatoon barrister, representing the gas company, states that all arrangements for financing the proposed scheme have already been completed. The money could be raised entirely in the Old Country, he states, or, if desired, the cities participating could purchase 20 per cent of the stock. The cities would thus be in a position to participate in any profits.

LETHBRIDGE, March 24 (CP).—Oil men are watching developments at the Alberta Pacific Consolidated well at Spring Coulee, forty miles southwest of Lethbridge, where oil and gas have been encountered. This is the deepest test ever made in the plains section of Southern Alberta, the drill standing at 5,959 feet today. The well is being drilled with a rotary rig, hence it will be some days before the sand can be tested. Cores taken during the past week show a good quality of light crude, believed to be in the Dolomite lime, the production horizon in the Turner Valley field.

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Wheat Values Steady On Winnipeg Market; Session Is Inactive

WINNIPEG, March 24 (CP).—Uninterested wheat traders passed a dull day on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today. No bullish or bearish reports, strong enough to budge values up or down, appeared and the session was one of the most inactive of the year.

The July future was the only month to display any change from yesterday's figures at the close of trading, advancing 1-8 cent to 58 3-4 cents per bushel. May and October were unchanged, the former at 57 1-8 and the latter at 60 3-4.

Cash wheat and coarse grain prices were unchanged to fractionally lower.

(Logan & Bryan)

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May	57¼	56½	57
July	58⅝	58	58⅝
Oct.	60⅞	60⅛	60⅝
Oats—			
May	25¼	27⅞	26¼
July	28⅝	28½	28⅝
Oct.	31⅛	30⅝	31
Rye—			
May	31¼	31⅜	31¼
July	32⅛	32⅛	32⅝
Oct.	35⅛	35	35⅝
Barley—			
May	26¼	25¼	26⅛
July	27⅝	27	27⅝
October	30⅛	29⅝	30
Flax—			
May	105	103⅝	104½
July	106¼	106⅛	105⅝
October	106⅝	106	107½

INDEMNITIES

Wheat—	Bid	Offered
May	58⅞	56
July	56⅞	59⅝
October	60⅝	61⅝

CASH CLOSES

Wheat—No. 1 N., 55½; 2 N., 53¼; 3 N., 48⅝; No. 4 W., 44⅝; 5 W., 42⅛; 6 W., 39⅝; feed, 28⅛; track, 55⅞.

Oats—No. 2 CW, 26⅝; 3 CW, 22⅝; extra No. 1 feed, 22⅝; 1 feed, 22⅝; 2 feed, 20⅝; rejected, 16⅛; track, 26⅞.

Rye—Nos. 1 and 2 CW, 29⅞; 3 CW, 25⅛; rejected, 23⅛; track, 20¼.

Barley—No. 2 CW, 24⅝; 4 CW, 21⅞; 5 CW, 16⅝; 6 CW, 17⅝; track, 24⅝.

Flax—No. 1 NWC, 102⅛; No. 2 CW, 66⅛; 3 CW, 87½; rejected, 87½; track, 103¼.

TORONTO MINING STOCK EXCHANGE

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—Specialties had another innings on the mining market today, with the major portion of the list receiving only relatively light treatment and closing practically unchanged. Sales showed another decrease, due to reduction in quantity of lower-priced stock turned over, total of 755,000 shares comparing with 880,000 yesterday.

On buying said to have largely originated in the North, Wright-Hargreaves moved steadily upward to a high of $2.25, and closed with a net gain of 16 at $2.22. Lake Shore and McIntyre also firmed, and Vipond and Sylvanite advanced a couple apiece. Eldorado, after a strong opening, lost 8 to $1.12.

Though International Nickel moved up a half and Noranda was firm, majority of base metals reflected the reductions in export copper. Hudson Bay dropped 30 to $5.75; Base Metals, 10 to $1.15, and Amulet, a couple to 38 cents.

Homestead Oil advanced to $1.70 on the opening, but closed off 10 from last night at $1.50. Alberta Pacific sold up 11 to 31 cents on reports of important developments in the Spring Coulee field, and Nordon regained a couple to 43 cents. Petrol was 5 down at 29 cents.

London Stocks

LONDON, March 24.—Closing stock quotations: Can. Pac., $43; Braz. Trac., $22 3-8; Distillers, £2 13s 6d; Dunlop Rubber, 12s 6d; Hydro-Elec., $25 1-4; Impl. Chem., 16s 6d; Impl. Tob., £4 13s 10 1-2d; Intl. Hold. & Inv. Co., $2 7-8; Intl. Nkl., $19 1-8; Shell T. & T., £3 5s; Vickers, 7s 10 1-2d.

VICTORY BONDS AND WAR LOAN SECURITIES

(Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd.)

DOMINION LOAN, 5%		
1931	100.80	101.15
1937	106.65	107.05
1943	104.40	104.90
DOMINION LOAN, 5½%		
1932	102.15	102.60
1933	104.05	104.40
1937	110.40	111.10
1934	104.05	104.25
DOMINION LOAN, 4½%		
1940	100.40	101.10
1944	100.40	101.10
1949	100.40	101.10
C.N.R. LOAN, 4½%		
1954	100.00	100¾
1957	100⅛	100¾
1968	100⅛	110¾
1956	100⅛	100¾
C.N.R. LOAN, 5%		
1954	105¾	106¾
1969	106¾	106¾
1970	106¾	106¾
C.N.S.S. LOAN, 5%		
1955	105¾	106¾

(Plus brokerage charges.)

METAL MARKET

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Standard copper, spot £44 2s 6d; futures £44 15s. Electrolytic, spot £47; futures £48. Tin, spot £121 5s; futures £122 15s. Lead, spot £11 15s; futures £12 10s. Zinc, spot £11 10s; futures £11 17s 6d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Copper, steady. Electrolytic, spot and futures 10. Iron, quiet, unchanged. Tin, easy; spot and nearby 26.95; futures 27.15. Lead, steady; spot, New York, 4.50; East St. Louis, 4.25. Zinc, quiet; East St. Louis, spot and futures 4.00. Antimony, 7.00.

COPPER PRICE CUT

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—A reduction of a quarter of a cent in the price of export copper was made today.

The new price of 10.30 cents a pound, c.i.f. European base ports, established by Copper Exporters, Inc., was made effective for a limited tonnage. After that amount is sold the price automatically will return to 10.55 cents. The amount made available at the lower price was not disclosed.

The reduction stimulated buying in the foreign market and during the forenoon today sales amounted to 5,500,000 pounds, in contrast to the dullness that has prevailed in both domestic and export markets for several days. A better inquiry also was reported in the domestic market.

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$1,000 Vancouver 5%, June 1, 1944	103.50	4.65%
$2,000 Vancouver 5%, July 1, 1964	105.90	4.65%
$1,000 Vancouver 5%, February 1, 1965	105.95	4.65%
$3,000 Vancouver 5%, April 1, 1965	105.95	4.65%

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CAULIFLOWERS PLENTIFUL HERE

Local Supply Sufficient to Overcome Importing From the Mainland

A plentiful supply of local cauliflower on the wholesale market had practically stopped all importing in this line for the time being. The quality of the local vegetables is good, and wholesale houses find no difficulty in disposing of their stock to retailers.

Another local commodity that is abundant on the wholesale row just now is rhubarb. There is no necessity for bringing in Vancouver stock, and, while the prices are not as low as they might be, a drop is expected some time next week.

A shipment of California strawberries is expected here at the end of the week, according to word received yesterday. These will be some of the first of the season.

Asparagus prices have practically reached rock bottom for the year, wholesale men say, and they will continue at this low for some time.

The last car of Imperial Valley lettuce has been taken in by local wholesale houses and hereafter the supply will come from another district in the South.

The movement of Mexican tomatoes on the wholesale row now is good, retailers being anxious to secure a good share of this year's excellent crop.

Among other shipments received here this week was a mixed carload of Okanagan apples, McIntosh Reds and Winesaps. More are expected within the next few days.

Retail Market

Vegetables	
Local Potatoes, 10 lbs.	.25
Hothouse Tomatoes, lb.	.30
Beets, 2 bunches for	.10
Carrots, per bunch	.10
Turnips, per bunch	.10
Cauliflower, each	.35
Onions, lb	.04
Lettuce, head	.05 and .10
Cucumbers, each	.35
Artichokes, each	.30
Onions, 6 lbs. for	.25
Local Celery	.10 .15
Fruits	
New Navel Oranges, dozen	.25 to .75
Jamaica Oranges, dozen	.30, .40 .50
Apples—	
Fancy, lb.	.10
Winesaps, box	2.75
Cooking Apples	2.25
McIntosh Reds, lb.	.10
Spitzenburgs, 3 lbs.	.25
Jonathan, box	2.25
Winter Banana, box	1.25
Delicious, box	2.25
Newtown Pippin, 3 lbs.	.25
Wagners, 3 lbs.	.25
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.30, .40 .30
Dates, 3 lbs.	.25
New California Figs, pkt.	.10, .15 & .25
Cal. Cluster Raisins, box	.35 and .30
New California Layer Figs, lb.	.25
Cabbage, each	.10 .05
New Spanish Table Raisins, pkt.	.25
Celery, stalk	.25 .30
New Ford Dates, lb.	.25
Coconuts, each	.15 and .20
Smyrna Figs, lb.	.25 and .30
Pears, dozen	.50
Cranberries, lb	.25
Processed Strawberries, pail	.30
Egg Plant, lb.	.30
Pears, Bartlett	.50 .40
Local Apples, 4 lbs.	.25
Cooking Apples, 5 lbs.	.25
California Grapefruit, 4 and 5	.25
Arizona Grapefruit, 4 for	.25
Jamaica Grapefruit, 3 for	.25
Pomegranates	.10
Cranberries, lb.	.30
Chestnuts, lb.	.25
Fresh Rhubarb, bunch	.10
Pineapple	.40 to .50
Nuts	
New Almond Nuts, lb.	.30
Walnuts, lb.	.30 to .40
Pecans, lb.	.40
Mixed, lb.	.25 and .35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.40
Roasted Peanuts, lb.	.15
Soft Shell Almonds, lb.	.40
New Chestnuts, Japan, lb.	.30
New Brazil, lb.	.25
Local Filbert Nuts, lb.	.15
Hams and Bacon	
Ham, lb.	.35
Bacon, lb.	.35 to .30
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Butter—	
Brookfield, lb.	.40
Shamrock	.40
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.45
Hendipats, lb.	.40
Salt Springs Island, lb.	.43
Our Own Brand, lb.	.40
New Zealand Creamery, bulk, lb.	.38
Comox	.48
Eggs—	
B.C. Fresh Extras	.28
B.C. Fresh Firsts	.26
Pullet Extras	.24
Fresh Meats	
Pork—	
Trimmed Loins, lb.	.35
Shoulder Roasts, lb.	.18
Legs, lb.	.20
Side Pork	.26
Pork Sausage, lb.	.22 and .25
Spring Lamb—	
Spring Lambs, legs	.33
Spring Lambs, shoulders	.20
Spring Lambs, racks	.30
Spring Lambs, loins	.35
Stew Lamb	.15
Rib Chops	.35
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, lb.	.30
Sirloin Roast, lb.	.28 to .30
Round Steak, lb.	.25
Pot Roasts, lb.	.15 to .18
Rump Roasts, lb.	.25
Shoulder Steaks	.18
Prime Ribs	.25
Local Veal—	
Stew Veal	.15 .20
Shoulders	.25
Rumps	.35
Legs	.35
Local Mutton—	
Loin	.25
Leg	.25
Chops	.25
Shoulder	.15
Stew Mutton	.12½
Flour	
Flour, pastry, 40's	2.15
Flour, bread	2.00
Flour, all standard brands, 49's	2.25
Cheese	
Finest Ontario Mild, lb.	.30
Gorgonzola, lb.	.60
Swiss Gruyere, 1½ portions, box	.40
Finest Ontario Matured, lb.	.45
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb.	.40
Gouda Cheese, lb.	.45
English Stilton, lb.	.85
Imported Roquefort, lb.	.65
Eagle Brand Camembert, lb.	.65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.40
Kraft, lb.	.38
Goldenloaf	.40
H.A. Loaf	.40
Fish	
Halibut, lb.	.35
Soles	.15
Rabbits, local, lb.	.25
Fresh Shrimps, lb.	.25
Eastern Finnan Haddie, lb.	.15 and .19
Local Cured Black Cod	.25
Large Eastern Kippers	.20
White Salmon	.25
Red Salmon	.30
Skate	.12½
Smoked Red Salmon	.30
Kippered Salmon	.25
Local Kippers	.15
Fresh Cod, lb.	.20

Wholesale Row

Meats	
No. 1 Steer Beef	.12½
Cow Beef	.11
Veal	.21
Hogs	.12½
Shoulders	.13½
Loins	.17½
Legs	.14½
Breakers, lb.	.18
Spring Lamb, lb.	.19
Tongues, lb.	.24 to .26
Poultry	
Fresh Fowls	.22 to .24
Chicken, lb.	.24
Turkeys, lb.	.29 to .35
Geese, lb.	.24
Ducks, lb.	.28
Fish	
Haddies, lb.	.14
Scotch cured	.20
Sunrise Fillets	.15
Golden Ray Fillets	.17
Smoked Meats	
Bacon, lb.	.32 .38
Backs, lb.	.31
Hams, lb.	.26 .29
Eggs	
Fresh Extras, case lots, dozen	.21
Fresh Firsts, case lots, dozen	.18
Fresh Pullets, case lots, dozen	.17
Butter	
Salt Spring	.37
New Zealand Solids, finest	.38
New Zealand, first grade	.35
New Zealand, finest prints, lb.	.38
Alberta Solids, No. 1	32½
Alberta Solids, No. 2	.33
Alberta finest prints	.35
Cheese	
Ontario—	
September, 1930	.21
British Columbia—	
September grass	.18
Fruits	
Navel Oranges, case	3.40 to 4.50
Lemons, box	4.75 to 5.75
Florida Grapefruit	6.00
Arizona Grapefruit	4.50 to 4.75
Bananas, lb.	.07½
Baskets	.30
Cocoanuts, dozen	1.20
Apples—	
Delicious	2.00, 2.50, 2.75
Cooking Apples	1.35
Local household pears	1.00 to 1.25
Cooking pears	1.00
Vegetables	
California Lettuce	4.25 to 4.75
California Celery, dozen	1.50 to 2.00
Cabbage, lb.	.04 to .05
Cauliflower, local	1.35 to 3.75
Green Onions, dozen	.30
Local Beets	1.25
Turnips, sack	1.75
Local Carrots	1.25
Local Parsley	.40
Potatoes, Mainland	1.25
Chilliwack Potatoes	1.35
Local Potatoes	1.35 to 1.50
Ashcroft Netted Gems	1.50
Kamloops Netted Gems	1.50
Mexican Tomatoes	5.25
Local Cucumbers	1.75 to 2.25
Okanagan Onions	2.50
Local Onions	2.25
Yams	2.50
Asparagus	.15 to .16
Peas	.15
Artichokes	1.35
Rhubarb	.07
Spinach	1.35
New Potatoes	6.60
Per lb.	.15
Green Peppers	.35

TORONTO GENERAL STOCK EXCHANGE

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—Mixed price changes prevailed at the close on Toronto Stock Exchange today. Oils were heavy from start to finish, and left off with small losses.

Atlantic Sugar broke precipately more than five points to a low on the movement of 24. Hamilton Bridge broke nearly three points on adverse news in the form of a cut in the annual dividend rate from $2 to $1.

Nickel and Noranda both closed with gains of less than a point; Noranda at the day's top price of 27. Brazilian closed at 22 1-2, 1-2 point under last night.

Big Wheat Supply But No Exporters In Hurry to Sell

LIVERPOOL, March 24.—Broomhall says: The international wheat market is depressed by the large stocks of wheat in exporting countries, especially North America, shippers, however, are not pressing sales and Australia is being influenced by large purchases for Chinese account. Argentine farmers are very reluctant to sell at present prices, besides which, both Russia and Canada are unwilling to force sales at present price levels. The trade here still expects to witness some increase in the European demand. United States wheat is held above the world parity and native offers in Germany, but not in France or Italy, are becoming very scarce.

Winnipeg Steel Works Awarded Big Contract

WINNIPEG, March 24.—Contracts involving approximately $200,000 and which will keep around 100 men busy for the greater part of the Summer, have been awarded to Western Steel Products, a subsidiary of Corporate Steel Products. These have to do with the construction of the 2,000,000-bushel terminal elevator at Churchill, which it is anticipated will be completed in time to handle a portion of this year's Western crop.

These contracts mean the fabrication of about 300 tons of steel spouting.

Canada Paving Report

The annual report of Canada Paving & Supply Co., Limited, for the year ended January 31, 1931, shows operating profits of $305,908.09, as against $511,379.23 for the preceding year. Deductions of $156,000 were made for depreciation and Dominion income tax, leaving net profits of $149,908.09, available for the payment of dividends on the 7 per cent preferred stock. Surplus was increased from $67,716.69 to $78,433.28 and bank loans were reduced by $69,900 to $399,100.

C.P.R. EARNINGS

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—The Canadian Pacific Railway traffic receipts for the week ending March 21 showed a decrease of $446,000 over the same week last year. The total traffic receipts for the week just ended are $2,827,000 as compared with $3,273,000 for the corresponding period of 1930.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Raw sugar was firmer today, with prices advancing 1-32 cent on buying by operators and outport refiners, although as yet local refiners seemed to show little interest. The sales confirmed, including some concluded late yesterday, were 18,000 bags of Philippines for April arrival at 3.33, and 28,000 bags of Porto Rican for April shipment at 3.35, and about 119,000 bags of Phillippines for April, May, June and July shipment at from 3.45 to 3.47.

Refined was unchanged, with a fair inquiry, but for nearby requirements only. Prices were listed at 4.35 for fine granulated by all refiners.

C.N.R. EARNINGS

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ending March 21, 1931, were $3,477,700, as compared with $4,316,226 for the same period in 1930, a decrease of $830,526.

Standard Oil Sells Gasoline At 7c a Gallon

NEW YORK, March 24 (CP). — Standard Oil Company of New York has reduced the tank car price of gasoline one-half cent a gallon, making the new prices range from 6 1-2 cents in New York Harbor to 7 cents at Portland, Maine.

World Production Of Coal Declines

WASHINGTON, March 24 (CP). —World production of all grades of coal amounted to 1,410,000,000 metric tons in 1930, a decrease of 149,000,000 as compared with 1929. United States was the greatest producer with a production of 482,135,000 tons.

Unverzagt Acquitted

VANCOUVER, March 24 (CP).—The grand jury at Vancouver Spring Court of Assizes this afternoon returned "no bill" to an indictment charging C. H. Unverzagt with publishing false statements in connection with the affairs of a placer mining company operating in Cariboo.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 24 (CP).—Butter, eggs and cheese, unchanged

Cheese—Finest colored, 14 1-4.

Butter—No. 1 Quebec and Western, 31-31 1-4.

Eggs—Fresh specials, 30; fresh extras, 28; fresh firsts, 25; storage extras, 21-22; storage firsts, 19-20; storage seconds, 16-17.

Carlot prices of Ontario and prairie fresh eggs were quoted at 23 1-2 to 24 cents for extras, 21 1-2 to 22 cents for firsts, and 16 to 17 cents a dozen for seconds. Fresh extras to retailers were quoted at 28 cents a dozen.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON, March 24 (AP).—Bar silver, 13 13-16d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP).—Bar silver, 30, an advance of 3-4. The market was firm, with a good demand, and the supply limited.

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (476.5m)

8:00 a.m.—Good morning programme.
8:15 a.m.—Timely Topics, Dr. Davies.
8:30 a.m.—Request music until noon.
12:00 noon—Quarter-hour programme.
12:15 p.m.—Slogan contest.
6:00 p.m.—"The Sunset Hour."
7:00 p.m.—Musical Marathon.
7:30 p.m.—"The Cleanup," crook story.
8:00 p.m.—The Classic Hour.
9:00 p.m.—Marionette Book Chat.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (447.5m)

5:00 p.m.—Musical programme.
5:15 p.m.—Biz Brother Bill.
5:45 p.m.—Musical programme.
8:00 p.m.—Studio programme.
7:00 p.m.—CJOR concert ensemble.
8:00 p.m.—National Radio advertising.
8:20 p.m.—La Fleche Bros.
8:45 p.m.—Studio programme.
9:00 p.m.—Bud Reilly.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (410.7m)

4:30 p.m.—Recordings.
5:30 p.m.—"Musical Crusaders."
6:00 p.m.—Borland programme.
6:30 p.m.—B.C. Electric Musical and Dramatic Club.
7:00 p.m.—Empress Brand programme.
7:15 p.m.—Uncle Jerry's Safety Club.
7:30 p.m.—Masterpieces of music.
8:00 p.m.—Rite Entertainers.
8:15 p.m.—"Quaker Musical Programme."
8:30 p.m.—British-Israel lecture.
10:00 p.m.—Songs for everyone.
11:00 p.m.—Ring-'Em-In Club.
11:30 p.m.—Wednesday night frolic.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291.5m)

6:30 p.m.—Dinner programe.
7:30 p.m.—Sports review.
7:45 p.m.—Piano recital.
8:15 p.m.—Medical talk.
8:30 p.m.—Varied programme.
9:00 p.m.—Tavannes Watch.

N.B.C.-KGO (379.5m; 790k)

8:00 a.m.—Shell Happytime.
8:00 a.m.—Financial Service programme.
8:15 a.m.—Morning melodies.
8:30 a.m.—Dr. Laurance L. Cross.
9:00 a.m.—Vermont Lumberjacks.
9:15 a.m.—The Rectilists.
9:30 a.m.—Gold Medal Talks.
9:45 a.m.—Morning Glories.
10:00 a.m.—S. & W. Prince of Pep.
11:15 a.m.—Household Period.
10:30 a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
11:30 a.m.—Organ recital.
11:45 a.m.—Sisters of the Skillet.
12:00 noon—Beauty talk.
12:15 p.m.—Western Farm and Home hour.
1:00 p.m.—Eastman School Symphony orchestra.
1:30 p.m.—Pacific Coast School of the Air.
2:00 p.m.—The Lady Next Door.
2:30 p.m.—N.B.C. matinee.
3:00 p.m.—Smith Ballew and his orchestra.
3:45 p.m.—The Value of Advertising.
4:00 p.m.—Boswell Sisters.
4:15 p.m.—Science.
4:30 p.m.—Phil Cook, the Quaker Man.
4:45 p.m.—Back of the News in Washington.
5:00 p.m.—Listerine programme.
5:15 p.m.—Radiotron Varieties.
5:30 p.m.—News service.
5:45 p.m.—Cowboy Kids.
6:00 p.m.—Nalsey, Stuart programme.
6:30 p.m.—Palmolive hour.
7:30 p.m.—Coca Cola programme.
8:00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:15 p.m.—Camel Pleasure hour.
9:15 p.m.—The Painter Rickey Man.
9:30 p.m.—Musical Moods.
9:45 p.m.—Bobby Jones Golf Chat.
10:00 p.m.—The Road Show.
11:00 p.m.—St. Francis Dance Orchestra.

Columbia Broadcasting System

8:00 a.m.—Five Minute Meals.
8:15 a.m.—Ben and Helen.
8:30 a.m.—Editorial page.
8:45 a.m.—Interior decorating.
9:00 a.m.—Paul Tremaine and his orchestra.
11:00 a.m.—Columbia artists' recital.
11:30 a.m.—American School of the Air.
12:00 noon—Columbia orchestra.
12:30 p.m.—Syncopated Silhouettes.
1:00 p.m.—U.S. Navy Band.
3:00 p.m.—Asbury Park Casino orchestra.
3:30 p.m.—The Round Towners.
3:45 p.m.—Tony's Scrap Book.
3:00 p.m.—"Bill Schudt's Going to Press."
3:30 p.m.—Winegar's Barn orchestra.
4:00 p.m.—Freddie Rich's orchestra.
4:15 p.m.—Park Central orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—The Sunkist Musical Cocktail.
6:00 p.m.—Gold Medal Fast Freight.
6:30 p.m.—Savitt Tone Pictures.
7:00 p.m.—Vitality Personalities.
7:15 p.m.—Gypsy Trail.
7:30 p.m.—Columbia Concerts Corporation programme.
8:00 p.m.—Royal Canadians.
8:15 p.m.—Cremo Military band.
8:30 p.m.—M. J. B. programme.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m; 970k)

8:00 a.m.—Morning devotionals.
9:15 a.m.—Marg; Walter Kaufman, baritone.
9:45 a.m.—Olive Reynolds, blues singer.
10:00 a.m.—Glen Eaton, tenor.
10:15 a.m.—Robert Monsen, tenor.
10:30 a.m.—Electrical Transcription.
11:00 a.m.—Meadow Larke orchestra.
11:30 a.m.—Julia Hayes programme.
11:45 a.m.—The Professor and his Dream Girl.
13:00 noon—World Book Man; World in Review.
12:30 p.m.—Midday musicale.
1:00 p.m.—Marshall Sohl, tenor; Geneva Brown, soprano.
1:15 p.m.—Dental Clinic of the Air.
1:45 p.m.—Betty Andersen, soprano.
2:00 p.m.—Mardi Gras.
3:00 p.m.—Organ music.
3:30 p.m.—Smilin' Sam from Alabam'.
3:45 p.m.—Tea Time tales.
4:00 p.m.—Organ concert.
5:00 p.m.—Sports review.
5:15 p.m.—Uncle Frank's stories.
5:30 p.m.—Health talks.
5:50 p.m.—Garden talk.
6:00 p.m.—Novelty programme.
6:19 p.m.—School Board talk.
6:45 p.m.—Hushescasting.
7:00 p.m.—Calendar of the Air.
7:30 p.m.—Novelty programme.
7:45 p.m.—Murray and Harris.
8:00 p.m.—Lone Beach Band.
8:30 p.m.—Lord Banquet.
8:48 p.m.—Album of Familiar Faces.
9:00 p.m.—Neapolitans.
10:00 p.m.—Ken Stuart's programme.
10:30 p.m.—Organ concert.
11:00 p.m.—Vic Meyers' orchestra.
12:00 midnight—Midnight Revellers.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (375.9m; 920k)

7:45 p.m.—N.B.C.
9:15 a.m.—Helpful Hints to Housewives.
9:30 a.m.—N.B.C.
9:45 a.m.—Way to a Man's Heart.
10:00 a.m.—N.B.C.
11:30 a.m.—Concert trio.
11:45 a.m.—Prudence Penny talk.
12:00 noon—N.B.C.
1:00 p.m.—Helen Andrews.
1:10 p.m.—N.B.C.
2:00 p.m.—Variety hour.
3:00 p.m.—Teacup Philosopher.
3:15 p.m.—Orchestra and vocalists.
3:45 p.m.—The Lost Melody.
4:15 p.m.—N.B.C.
5:30 p.m.—Concert trio.
6:00 p.m.—N.B.C.
8:15 p.m.—Phoenix Hosiery Co.
8:30 p.m.—Chevrolet Chronicles.
9:45 p.m.—N.B.C.
10:00 p.m.—Recorded programme.
10:30 p.m.—Owen Sweeten's Washingtonians.
11:00 p.m.—News flashes.
11:10 p.m.—Olympic Hotel dance orchestra.
12:00 midnight—Organ recital.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (394.5m; 760k)

8:00 p.m.—Hallelujah hour.
9:00 a.m.—C.B.S.
8:30 a.m.—Feminine Fancies.
10:00 a.m.—Mid-morning melodies.
11:00 a.m.—C.B.S.
12:00 noon—Garden talk.
12:15 p.m.—C.B.S.
2:00 p.m.—Happy-Go-Lucky hour.
3:00 p.m.—Recordings.
3:20 p.m.—C.B.S.
4:30 p.m.—Dental Clinic of the Air.
4:00 p.m.—C.B.S.
4:30 p.m.—Recordings.
8:00 p.m.—Studio programe.
9:30 p.m.—Pero dance orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Auditorium Ballroom orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Anson Weeks' orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Earl Burtnett's orchestra.

BUDGET DEBATE IS CONCLUDED

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—Following a whirlwind finish of the debate on the budget, featured by charges of perjury by witnesses before a committee of the House, a wholesale condemnation of the financial policy of the Government from Liberals and Progressives and refutation of Liberal charges in connection with hydro by a Government spokesman, the Ontario Legislature today passed the budget by a vote of 81 to 18. By the same vote, the House rejected a Liberal amendment to go into committee of supply.

W. E. N. Sinclair, Liberal leader, aimed some of his remarks at the Department of Northern Development, and when challenged by Hon. William Finlayson, Minister of Lands and Forests, declared he would make the department "look like thirty cents" if given a fair chance before the public accounts committee.

THE HEART

(Health Service of the Canadian Medical Association)

The heart is one of the vital organs of the body which continues to work when we are asleep just as it does when we are awake.

The heart is a muscle organ. When it contracts, it acts as a pump circulating the blood to all parts of the body. Every part of the body needs blood, because it is from the blood that the cells of the body select the nourishment they need, and it is into the blood that the cells discharge their waste products.

A good circulation is necessary if the tissues of the body are to be healthy. A good circulation cannot be maintained unless the heart is in proper working order. In other words, the general health of the body requires a sound heart.

The heart, like most organs of the body, is capable of doing more than is usually demanded of it. That is why it is able for a time to do extra work when it is called upon to do so by sudden or severe physical effort. It is not advisable, however, to overstrain any part of the body, because such strain may be too great or too prolonged, and permanent harm may result.

Because of its reserve power, a damaged heart may serve a person very well, providing care is taken not to throw any extra strain on the organ.

Those who have a weakened or damaged heart can live long and useful lives if they avoid such efforts as heavy lifting, which throws a sudden or extra load on the heart. They must avoid doing anything which causes shortness of breath, and they should learn to stop and rest immediately if they experience shortness of breath or pain. They must realize their limitations, and not try to do more than they are able.

Infection in any form is frequently responsible for heart disease. Infected teeth, tonsils or head sinuses may be foci from which poisons and germs are given off, causing damage to the heart.

The prevention of heart disease begins with attention to general health through proper food, fresh air, rest and play. Any focus of infection, such as diseased teeth or tonsils, should be removed before there is a chance of its causing damage to the heart.

The heart is often damaged as the result of acute rheumatism, which is an infection. Growing pains and chorea, or St. Vitus' dance, are evidence of rheumatism in children, and they should be treated as serious conditions in order that the heart may be protected.

THE LATEST "HOWLERS"

"His bridle reins were golden chains" (Slave's Dream). This means that he had just been married.

The knight rushed down the path where he thought he heard the cry, but alas! his end came quickly for, turning a sharp corner, he crashed into a yawning abbess.

The best way to preserve the teeth is to put them in water overnight.

White is a color that stands for joy; women are married in white but men never are.

A buttress is a lady butler.

Contralto is a low kind of music sung only by women.

A toadstool is a thing that looks like a mushroom, then if you eat it you die and you know it is not a mushroom.

SOUND AUCTION and CONTRACT

by WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

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An Exception to a Well Established Rule of Bidding

North: ♠ J 5 4 3 ♥ A 10 ♦ K 10 5 4 ♣ Q 7 5

West: ♠ 8 7 ♥ Q J 5 4 ♦ A J 9 7 ♣ K 4 3

East: ♠ 2 ♥ 8 7 3 2 ♦ Q 8 6 3 2 ♣ 10 8 6

South: ♠ A K Q 10 9 6 ♥ K 9 6 ♦ — ♣ A J 9 2

Contract Bidding

	1st Rd.	2nd Rd.	3rd Rd.
South	3♠	3♠	6♠
West	Pass	Pass	Pass
North	3 N.T.	5♠	Pass
East	Pass	Pass	Pass

Auction Bidding

	1st Rd.
South	3♠
West	Pass
North	Pass
East	Pass

One of the most firmly fixed rules of Contract bidding is that partner of an original bidder of two of a suit should assist that suit if possible when holding four trumps, yet occasionally there will arise a situation where a different procedure should be taken.

Naturally that one where the partner has a Slam practically in sight in some other suit will be readily recognized, but in the above deal North, whose partner has opened the bidding with two Spades, has no such reason for deviating from the rule. He has, however, another very good reason for doing so. He has much more than normal support for the Spade bid and such support, being distributed, is of a No Trump character. If he should immediately jump to four Spades there would be every probability of such bid being final. If he should jump to five it might well be doubtful whether or not a Slam bid would be arrived at. He is, however, sure that South, who has opened the bidding with a bid of two, will keep the bidding open and that should he show the high side card value he will be able to jump the Spade bid on the second round. Accordingly in this particular instance the bid of two No Trumps is preferable to either the bid of four or five Spades.

SALIENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING

Contract—South opens the bidding with two Spades. West passes and North bids two No Trumps for the reason given in the preamble. East passes, and although South holds a second suit of four cards headed by the Ace-Jack, he elects to rebid his six card Spade rather than show the Club. West passes and North bids five Spades. East passes, and since North has taken a devious method to show assistance for a Slam bid, South bids six Spades, although his original intention was simply to arrive at a game bid.

Auction—South opens the bidding with a pre-emptive bid of three Spades. Should North happen to hold anything in either Hearts or Clubs, game seems assured, regardless of what North's trump holding might be. This concludes the bidding.

THE PLAY

West opens the four of Hearts, and although this allows Declarer to make an extra Heart trick it does not allow him to make an extra trick on the hand as a whole, for while one Club in Dummy may be discarded, a finesse in that suit must still be taken and this will lose to West's King.

What Today Means

"ARIES"

If March 25 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., from noon to 1:45 p.m. and from 4:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. The danger hours are from 2:10 to 3:30 p.m. and from 7:30 to 8:15 p.m.

The planetary aspects of March 25 do not indicate any immediate material advancement. They do, however, denote benefits from self-examination. Old methods will be dropped and the resolution will be formed, with eventual benefit, to do things in a different way.

Children born on this March 25 will be impatient of control, impulsive in their likes and dislikes, and always argumentative. They, in mature years, will be energetic, and self-confident, and in their love affairs will be impetuous and irresistible. Quick wooers; lightning workers.

You, if born on March 25, are two-sided, but not double-faced. Your nature is divided into two very differenet parts; the one is vigorous, aggressive and self-confident; while the other is feeble, dependent and ultra pacific. You will suffer from a continuous inner fight between these two complexes, and your success or failure in life will depend on which complex eventually dominates.

You have a generous disposition, but you must learn to say "No," as your sympathy outruns your judgment. You, unfortunately, are not blessed with the ability, in so far as humans are concerned, to sift the chaff from the wheat. You are very affectionate, and extremely susceptible to the appeal of the opposite sex. Constancy is not one of your outstanding virtues.

The signs denote that, in spite of many drawbacks, you may rise to a commanding position in life — either commercially or socially. This will not happen until you have learned to dominate the weaker side of your character, and have resolved, willy nilly, to go for your goal with might and main, regardless of the seductions of indolence, and of a "laisser faire" attitude. You take offence very easily, and are unduly sensitive. You, too, must learn to give "A Roland for an Oliver."

Successful People Born March 25:

1. John Winebrenner, founder of "The Church of God."
2. Stephen B. Luce, founder of United States War College.
3. John Lind, former Governor of Minnesota.
4. Gutzon Borglum (John Gutzon de la Mothe), sculptor.
5. Cleveland Abbe, Jr., geographer.

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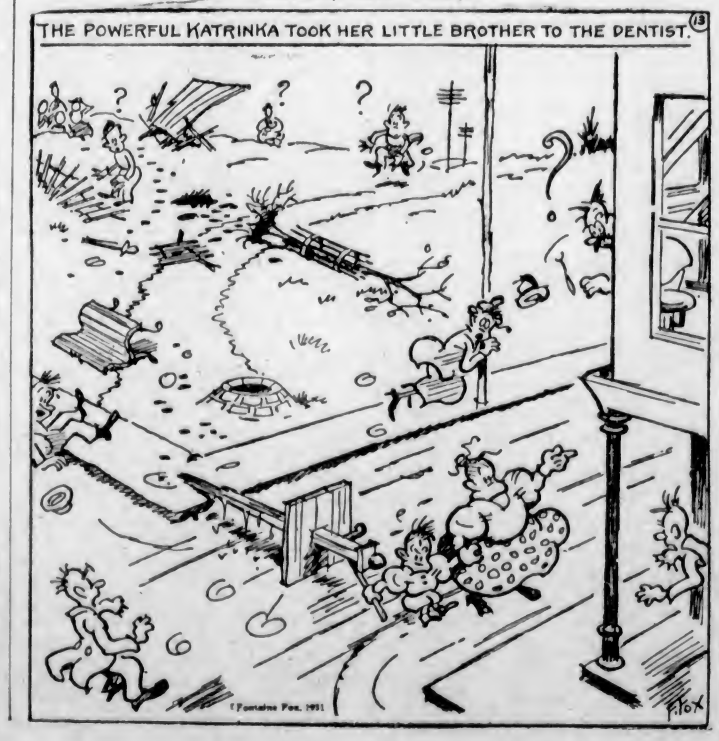

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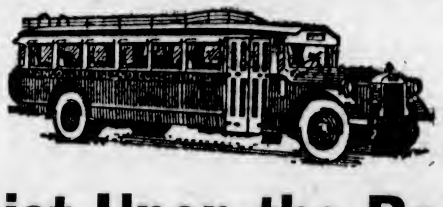

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2 DEATHS

TOWNSEND—In this city on Sunday, March 22, Frederick Townsend, aged seventy-six years, of 2712 Richmond Road. He is mourned by two sons, Walter Henry, with whom he resided, and Harold Hubert, of 2703 Avebury Avenue, and one daughter, Mrs. M. Watts, of Bath, England.

The funeral will take place this afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home to Oaklands Gospel Hall, where service will be held at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GRAHAM—In Vancouver, Wash., on March 20, Dr. Wilfred A. Graham, late of Camas, Wash. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow, one daughter, Florence; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Graham, Powell Street, Victoria, B.C.; two brothers, Dr. Gerald D. Graham, of Los Angeles, and Gordon E. Graham, of Portland, Ore.

The funeral took place on Monday, March 23, from Holmen & Luts' Funeral Chapel, under the auspices of Camas Lodge, I.O.O.F. Interment in Vancouver, Wash.

COOMBER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Sunday, March 22, Frederick L. Coomber, aged forty-six years, of 411 Michigan Street. The late Mr. Coomber was born in England and served for many years in H.M. Navy, and afterwards came to Edmonton, Alberta, where he enlisted for service in the Great War with the 102nd Battalion, C.E.F. He is mourned by his widow, two sons, Leonard and Albert, and one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Bowcott, all of this city; also his parents in Vancouver, B.C.

The funeral will take place this afternoon from McCall Bros.' Conservatory Chapel at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. G. L. Jull will conduct the service, after which interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

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10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

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81 PROPERTY WANTED

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WANTED — WATERFRONT LOT FOR campsite, between Gordon Head and Cordova Bay. Box 504, Colonist.

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A GOOD BUY

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South of Avenue, an extra well-built home of 7 rooms and den, 4 bedrooms, 2 open fires, laundry tubs, extra toilet and furnace in dry, cement basement; lot, with few oaks, runs back to lane; garage. Snap, terms, $4,000.

WANTED — Rooming-House or Hotel to rent for client.

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Black garden soil. Four rooms and outbuildings; 3½ miles out.
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Modern house, chicken house, garage. Near Gorge .. $2500

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Centrally located, five-suite apartment in first-class condition, inside and out. Will pay you 15% to 20% net on investment. Only $6,500. Investigate this unusual opportunity. Listing 8.

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Practically new five-room stucco bungalow, full cement basement, furnace, set tubs, garage, fireplace, bath, etc. Near Beacon Hill Park. Only $3,000. Listing 971.

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2 1-3 Acres. Nearly 500 feet of waterfrontage. Nicely wooded, maple, cedar, fir, etc. Good road and beach. Light and phone available $2,000

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A Well Built Home of Six Large Rooms and Two Small Ones

Big living-room with fireplace, dining-room, sunroom, well equipped kitchen.

Upstairs — Three large bedrooms, two boxrooms, three-piece bathroom.

Long sunroom; cement basement, furnace, tubs. Garage.

The property is 100 x 180 to back lane. Fruit trees and tennis lawn. A good buy at $6500

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VICTORIA ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that all assessed taxes on land levied under the "Taxation Act," and all school taxes levied under the "Public Schools Act," are due and payable on April 1st, 1931.

All taxes on income shall be deemed to be due and payable on the date on which the notice of assessment thereof is given to the taxpayer.

All taxes due and collectable for the Victoria Assessment District are payable at my office in the Parliament Buildings Annex, corner Government and Superior Streets, Victoria, B.C.

This notification is equivalent to a personal demand by me for the payment of all taxes as levied on the assessment rolls. No further notice will be given, and taxpayers are requested to see that their taxes are promptly paid.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., March 11, 1931.
F. J. SEHL,
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Wanted—800 Cords Pulpwood, 200 cords to be delivered during each of the following months: September, October, November and December, 1931. Complete specifications can be had at the Company's office. SIDNEY ROOFING & PAPER CO., LTD.

Stripes and Prints Brighten Fashions

PARIS, March 24.—Gay stripes and slashing prints designed in zigzag and complicated lines moved in bright pageantry through the salons of one of the most prominent Parisian dressmakers recently as the last word in Spring togs.

Subtle coloring and intricate design combined to make the Spring fashions some of the most complicated Paris has seen since the days of muttonlegged sleeves. Dressmaking copyists were promised the stiffest job they have had in years.

Even monotone dresses of apparent simplicity revealed triangular or square piecing of the most intricate design, while others were frankly mystifying with ruffles winding from hip to hem in intricately cut drapes and graduated peplums.

Black and dark blue chiffon or crepe afternoon frocks featured cream puff sleeves made of myriad rows of Valenciennes lace of dark shadow lace sleeves under waist-length capes. The simplest daytime models had standing, flat, or bib collars of white pique or bright silk Scottish plaids, while several models displayed plaid silk underskirts showing several inches below the hems.

Even sports models, featuring green, blue, beige and red plaids and stripes combined with plain colors were exhibited with complicated vests and trousers blouses. The evening gowns used several materials and colors in one model.

White cotton lace combined with organdy, velvet leaves and flowers appliqued on net, rows of narrow lace stitched on voile, and black stitching on light crepe, were among the newest evening notes. Brilliant large flowered chiffons designed in overlapping drapes and tiers were a favorite among the exhibits.

The jewels displayed with the gowns were as complicated as the dresses. Brilliants, colored with crystals, corals and jade were designed in three-tiered necklaces and bracelets generally contrasting in color with the gown.

It was midnight. On his way through the smoking-room to his own quarters, the secretary of the club saw a young man huddled in a chair.

"Hallo!" he said. "I was just going to shut up for the night. I thought everybody had gone. Aren't you going home?"

The member shook his head sadly.

"I daren't," he replied.

"Daren't?" echoed the secretary. "Nothing wrong, I hope?"

"Plenty," came from the young man. "At 8 o'clock I telephoned to my wife and gave her a perfectly good excuse for not going straight home and"—he lowered his voice to almost a whisper—"I've forgotten what I said."

An old Highland ghillie named Rab was engaged by an English peer to accompany him on a salmon fishing expedition.

Soon the angler landed a salmon, then another and yet another, and after each of these exploits he took out his flask and refreshed himself.

The third time this happened the ghillie turned the boat, rowed for the bank, put the chain through the stake ring, and locked the padlock.

As the old man made his way up the grassy slope, the Englishman called to him, "Come back, Rab, I've not finished yet."

Rab turned and gazed scornfully at the peer.

"Nae, nae, my lord, this time you'll hae to manage yersel'. Them as drinks wi' theirsels can just fush wi' theirsels!"

Mother had promised little Clara a doll, and Clara was allowed to accompany her to purchase one. They entered the shop where a large assortment awaited them.

"This doll," said the saleswoman, "can say 'mamma' and 'papa,' this one here can shut its eyes, and this one can say, 'Oh!' when you put a new dress on it."

"Have you one that cries when you don't put a new dress on it?" asked little Clara.

The Sportlight BY GRANTLAND RICE

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AYE, MacPHEARSON?

("Golf has become too easy."—An Expert.)

"Golf has become too easy?" Aye, MacPhearson,
We know, we know, with ninety-sixes net,
Who first get bad and later on get worse'n
We ever dreamed a half-blind rat would get;
Who top our drive into some ghastly grotto,
Or plump a mashie where some trap lies hid,
Who down the green know but one dismal motto,
"Slip me a niblick, kid."

"Golf has become too easy?" Aye, aye, Sandy,
We ken, we ken, who swat one from the tee
And shoot our trusty iron for a dandy
Some seven paces from a perfect three.
And then we grab our likewise trusty putter
And putt and putt and putt around the cup
Until we find, as we profanely mutter,
"The other guy's six up."

Golf has become too easy? You're no howler,
O, rarest optimist of all the breed;
No need for you to rush the cheering growler,
Or lamp this page for any uplift screed;
If some uncanny fate, its purpose wreaking,
Should some day drop you to the burning wold,
Our ears should be attuned to hear you shrieking:
"Hell has become too cold!"

ONE RECORD

Whether or not they win a pennant this season, the Yankees at least have one for the book. At one time or another every "iron man" in baseball will have been a member of their roster. Everett Scott, the iron man record holder, played in 1,407 consecutive games before he took a day's rest. Now Joe Sewell is working for the Colonel, and Joe engaged in 1,103 contests without a break.

The third is Lou Gehrig, who has taken part in the last 886 games put on under the Yankee banner, and Lou is still on the trail with youth and health to move along indefinitely unless upset by some injury.

It takes a rare combination of stamina and luck for any ball player to work out more than three hundred consecutive games. This means two full seasons without missing a battle where the great majority find it impossible to play one full season without a few open gaps. When one of them travels somewhere from six to eight seasons without knocking off for at least one day, the odds against such a performance are easily seen.

GOLF COURTESY

Is golf courtesy always justified? Are there any exceptions that should be noted? Here is a case on record, reported from England. A certain golfer was beating about dementedly in the heavy rough, looking for the vanished ball. And this was not his first search warrant. A compassionate came up and asked what the sufferer had lost. The soulful reply was:

"A ball, sir; a heart, sir; a niblick head, sir; and the match, sir; and all of them damned, sir. And the same to you, sir."

FRENCH COURTESY

Which calls up Borotra's polite way of discussing Tilden's retirement from the amateur side. Instead of remarking that he would like another shot at the tall and angular one, Borotra states that he will miss "the delightful and instructive tennis lessons Tilden has always given me." Some one else may have thought of a neater way of paying tribute to a conqueror, but, if so, the wording has escaped our notice. Borotra has also given Jack Curley another thought in stating that Kozeluh would be a far better opponent for Tilden outdoors than indoors. Jack can soon concentrate on the outdoor professional championship, forgetting the indoor rating until the arrival of another snow next Fall.

THE WEEK'S BIG SPOT

The La Gorce open, held at Miami Beach this week, will be only a half step behind the United States open when it comes to ranking talent. In the first place, the money reward of this $15,000 contest is among the highest in the game. In the second place, the field has drawn the entries of every professional star in golf. The list includes Hagen, Horton Smith, Armour, Sarazen, Farrell, Golden, Cooper, Macfarlane, Cox, Turnesa, Dudley, Burke, Kline, Espinosa, Mehlhorn, Gamber, Walker and many more.

It will be interesting to see whether any of the leaders can get a jump on the field by winning this tournament and possibly starting a winning streak on the way north. The prize-winning has been widely scattered. It will also be interesting to see whether Hagen or Horton Smith can crack the hoodoo, which has pursued them most of the Winter. They have been playing well enough, but they haven't been able to stave off the stampede of other rivals. There will be any number of old rivalries fought out around the La Gorce test this week and the scramble should be one of the most interesting meetings of the new campaign.

HEAD OF TORONTO BALL CLUB DIES

TORONTO, March 24 (CP).—Lawrence Solman, sixty-eight, president of the Toronto Baseball Club and well-known theatrical manager, died in hospital today. He has been confined to bed for some weeks suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Jeweled hooks and eyes are the latest craze. They are fastenating little things which are sure to catch on.

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A London Letter

The New Governor-General of Canada—Public School Girls on Tour—Miss Dorothy Burroughes Makes a New and Quaint Volume—Memorial Service for Lady Frances Balfour—Weaver-Hemming Nuptials and the London Theatre

By ELIZABETH MONTIZAMBERT

Few of those present at the dinner given in honor of the High Commissioner for Canada and Mrs. Ferguson, by the Empire Circle of the Lyceum Club, will easily forget the eloquent speech made by Lady McLaren Brown when she proposed the health of Mr. Ferguson.

It was no wonder that Lord Bessborough paid her such a tribute. Her oratory was both skilled and moving and, while she was so magnificently voicing the general opinion of our High Commissioner, and describing his work for Canada, and the scenes prior to his departure from Toronto, Lady McLaren Brown was also convincing her audience that, in her, Canada possessed a public speaker of unusual gifts.

NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL

It was at this dinner that Lord Bessborough, the Governor-General designate, made his first semi-public appearance since his appointment, and everyone was delighted with the obvious sincerity of his pleasure at the prospect of revisiting Canada.

Apart from the natural appreciation of the honor conferred by His Majesty, in making this choice, there is more than one reason why Lord Bessborough's ready acceptance of the appointment is a very real compliment to Canada, as well as a fine instance of public spirit.

It is no light thing to lay down the tangible results of a long period of hard work in the City of London, and to relinquish the considerable income that Lord Bessborough was making in business, and to give up the hope of enjoying the beautiful home they have been arranging and planning in Eaton Square for the last year. This last consideration affects Lady Bessborough more particularly. It is now generally recognized that her doctors have advised her to accept as few engagements as possible during the next four or five months. Her many friends are full of admiration at her courage in undertaking at such a time, not only the journey from London to Ottawa, but the many cares that giving up a new home must entail; but Lady Bessborough herself makes light of these things and looks forward eagerly to her new home in Ottawa, where her gracious manners and great charm will be much appreciated.

PUBLIC SCHOOL GIRLS

The Ss. Duchess of Bedford will take out a large party to Canada on the 27th for, in addition to the Earl and Countess of Bessborough, Lord Duncannon, Lady Moyra Ponsonby and their suite, there will be the returning Agent-General for Alberta and his family, and the party of English head mistresses under the skilful direction of Miss Edith Thompson, and accompanied by Dame Meriel Talbot.

The success of the English public school girls' tour in Canada was not ephemeral. Eighteen out of the twenty-five girls recently met at the home of Lady Eleanor Keane, the mother of one of the girls—a good record after the lapse of two years, and they found that nearly all of them were going in for training.

The head mistresses who will meet Miss Thompson and Miss Stewart Gait on their arrival are: Miss McCutcheon, of St. Andrews; Miss Tweedie, of Edinburgh; Miss Adams, of Liverpool; Miss Mary Clarke, of Manchester, who, by the way, is a cousin of Mr. Murray Gibbon; Miss McCrae, of Stafford; Miss Barrie, of Birmingham, who is a niece of the famous author of "Peter Pan," and incidentally a keen yachtswoman; Miss Ramsden, of Croydon; Miss Craig, of Christ's Hospital; Miss Sparks, of Cheltenham; Miss Drummond, of North London; Miss Turner, of Sydenham, and Miss Davies, of Streatham. After a prolonged tour the party will return to England on May 14.

QUAINT NEW BOOK

Readers of one of the popular women's magazines, who noted with joy each month the appearance of Miss Dorothy Burroughes, "The Journeyings of Selina Squirrel," will be glad to hear that this enchanting and amusing descendant of "Johnny Crow's Garden" has now appeared in book form, published by Messrs. Methuen at the modest price of half a crown.

No one who saw Miss Burroughes' adorable Zoo posters and remembers her "White Monkey" will need to be told of the delight of her inimitable drawing of Selina, Bertie the Pig and Harris the Hare. That she now appears in the character of a no less skillful authoress is due to her devoted friendship with Vere Hutchinson, the novelist and sister of the author of that famous "best seller," "If Winter Comes." Miss Hutchinson and Miss Burroughes share a charming house in St. John's Wood and, when the former fell a victim to a prolonged and severe illness, Miss Burroughes whiled away the tedious convalescence by inventing these delicious tales which she illustrated for her friend.

MALVERN FESTIVAL

The Malvern Festival will not begin till August 18, but already the Americans are beginning to book seats for this celebrated fortnight of Shaw plays, tempered by "The Barretts of Wimpole Street."

The plays chosen for this season will be: "Candida," which reaches the mature age of thirty-one this year; "The Admirable Bashville," a literary burlesque; "Widowers' Houses," "Heartbreak House," "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets," "The Apple Cart," and "Getting Married."

"The Barretts of Wimpole Street" will be given at both the matinee and evening performances of the two Wednesdays. The festival will last from the 18th till the 30th of August, and once more make everyone privileged to attend the performances, feel that they owe a debt of gratitude to the genius and energy of Sir Barry Jackson.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The memorial service for Lady Frances Balfour that was held in the Scottish National Church, Crown Court, Covent Garden, last Saturday, was a profoundly moving ceremony, chiefly because there were so many distinctive details that recalled that vivid personality. The opening with Handel's "Dead March" reminded one that Handel was the only composer whose work she could ever bear to listen to. When Dr. McCrae, in his moving address, read part of the letter she had sent him to be opened on her death, containing instructions for the service and the words: "Speak of me as you knew me, faults and all, for as you know I was no saint," there were few dry eyes among the many friends who could almost see the whimsical smile with which she would have said it. The close when the piper of the Scots Guards marched slowly round the church, playing "The Flowers of the Forest" on his pipes, ended the beautiful and poignant service.

WEAVER—HEMMING

The pale March sun poured through the lovely stained-glass windows of the old Wren Church of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, on the corner of Trafalgar Square, as Miss Alice Weaver, escorted by the High Commissioner for Canada and attended by two bridesmaids, walked up the aisle to be married to Mr. Harold H. Hemming, of Montreal. The chancel was decorated with white lilies and red tulips, and the organist played appropriate music during the ceremony. Mr. Hemming was attended by Mr. Ian Parsons, and the ushers were Mr. Charles Gundy, of Toronto; Mr. Ross Tolmie, of Vancouver, and Mr. Roger Coke, of Brookhill Hall. The pretty bride, who has made many friends in England during her short stay over here, looked very lovely in a white lace frock, tulle veil and Russian coronet. She carried a lovely bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaids, Miss Frances Musgrave, of Vancouver, and Miss Betty Coke, Brookhill Hall, Derbyshire, looked charming in green georgette dresses and hats of coarse green straw. They carried little Victorian nosegays, tied with long streamers of narrow pale green ribbon. Among the guests was Mrs. Howard Ferguson, whose husband gave the bride away. She wore a black fur coat and brown velvet hat. The Marchioness of Donegal wore a blue velvet coat trimmed with grey fur and a grey felt hat, and Mrs. Buchanan, sister of the groom, wore a grey coat and hat.

After the ceremony the guests drove to No. 6 Belgrave Place, where a reception was given by Reginald Charles Andersen, after which the bride and bridegroom left by aeroplane for Paris, en route for a month's honeymoon at Tagwat, an oasis in Northern Africa.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Pemberton, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Anderson, Mrs. Maurice Clutterbuck, Mr. Howard Robertson, Mr. Parsons, Mrs. Coke, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Lindsay, Miss Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, Colonel and Mrs. Bramhall, Mrs. Edward Hunter, Miss May Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Robertson and Mrs. Burnett.

NEW FLAT BUILDING

One is often told that slum dwellers do not take kindly to living in flats, and that the English character requires privacy of a separate home to come to full fruition. If there is anything in fashion, however, this point of view should soon suffer a sea-change. All over London from Highgate and Hampstead to Chelsea and Westminster, vast blocks of flats are being built, many of them costing as much rent as one would have paid for a prewar mansion, with ballroom complete. It will soon be as rare a thing for people to live in a whole house in London as it is in Paris, where nine-tenths of the population live in flats. Some of the new luxury flats have literally acres of roof gardens that exact the whole time services of a gardener, who carries out his duties with as much equanimity as if he were not ten or twelve storeys above the Mother Earth on which his flowering plants depend. London is changing, changing with every year.

THE LONDON THEATRE

To those who had seen the earlier production of "The Circle," by Somerset Maugham, the enjoyment of its revival this week, at the Vaudeville Theatre, was naturally tinged with sadness for the lost genius of Holman Clark and Lottie Venne, but no better choice for their successors could possibly have been made, and Nigil Playfair, as Clive Champion-Cheney, and Athene Seyler, as Lady Catherine, played their parts to perfection. Allan Aynesworth was a joy in his old part of Lord Porteous, the now crochety old gentleman, with whom Lady Catherine Champion-Cheney had eloped thirty years before. Miss Celia Johnson played with charm and sincerity the part of the dissatisfied young wife, who refuses to be deterred by the awful example of her husband's mother and sticks to her resolution to run off with the man she loves and who offers her love in return, but, as he points out, not necessarily happiness. The part of the young lover was splendidly played by Peter Hannen. It is rather curious that this play, which was considered so ultra-modern when it was first produced, does not seem dated in any way, unless it is by the fact that the reaction of today's audience to the unorthodox ending is even less marked than that of twelve years ago.

Another revival this week is that of Bernard Shaw's "Fanny's First Play," at the Court Theatre, Sloane Square. This is another play that does not seem out of date in spite of its allusions to suffragettes, based as it is on the timeless peculiarities of the English middle class mind. The acting in the present performance by the Macdona Players is exceedingly good throughout. Miss Iris Baker played the part of Margaret Knox in a very skillful manner, while Miss Ann Trevor seemed to thoroughly enjoy herself as Darling Dora. Gerald Lawrence, or Juggins; Pelham Boulton, as Lieut. Duvallet, and Wilfred Lawson, as Mr. Gilbey, all added greatly to the evening's enjoyment.

"The Torch Bearers" at the Embassy Theatre, Swiss Cottage, carries on the good tradition of this excellent stock company. I had seen the play twice with Marie Tempest and Lady Susan Birch in the leading role, the latter at the head of an admirable cast of amateurs performing for some charity. The present performance, with Miss Margaret Yarde as the leader in this diverting skit on amateurs, is as amusing as ever. It is most saddening to reflect that since the calibre of the amateur is steadily rising, there will soon be no point in all the accidents that befall the actors in "The Torch Bearers."

"The Venetians," the new play at the Little Theatre, is like a lovely piece of tapestry, an old pattern embroidered with modern silks; for if the plot is old the language is of today. Clifford Bax, the author, puts his characters in the sixteenth century and takes his plot from the court of Francesco de Medici and as his heroine the lovely Bianca Cappello, played by Margaret Rawlings with great skill. Wilfred Walter, as the Grand Duke, shows the same fine qualities he displayed when acting his own play, "Happy and Glorious," which, by the way, a printer's error last month made me appear to describe as a "commercial" instead of an "uncommercial" play. "The Venetian" was exquisitely produced by Ellen van Volkenberg, but I am afraid it is too beautiful to have the run it deserves.

TWOFOLD

"I believe," said the cheery philosopher, "that for every single thing you give away, twofold comes back to you."

"That's my experience," agreed the other. "Last week I gave away my daughter, and she and her husband came back in July."

The small company of club members were cracking jokes.

"Can anyone tell me the difference between a Scotsman and a cocoanut?" asked one of the company.

After a while, and as there was no answer forthcoming, the speaker decided to supply the answer.

"Well," he said, "you can get a drink out of a cocoanut, but——"

"Excuse me," put in one of the others, "but I happen to be a Scotsman. Would you like a drink?"

"Delighted, thanks," replied the joker readily enough.

"Then go out and buy yourself a cocoanut, laddie," smiled the Scot.

Teacher: "So you went to the dentist with a toothache. Does it still ache?"

"I don't know," said the child.

"Don't know? How is it that you don't know whether your tooth aches or not?"

"Please, teacher," came the shaky answer, "the dentist kept it."

"Is there still as much fighting here in the village as there used to be?"

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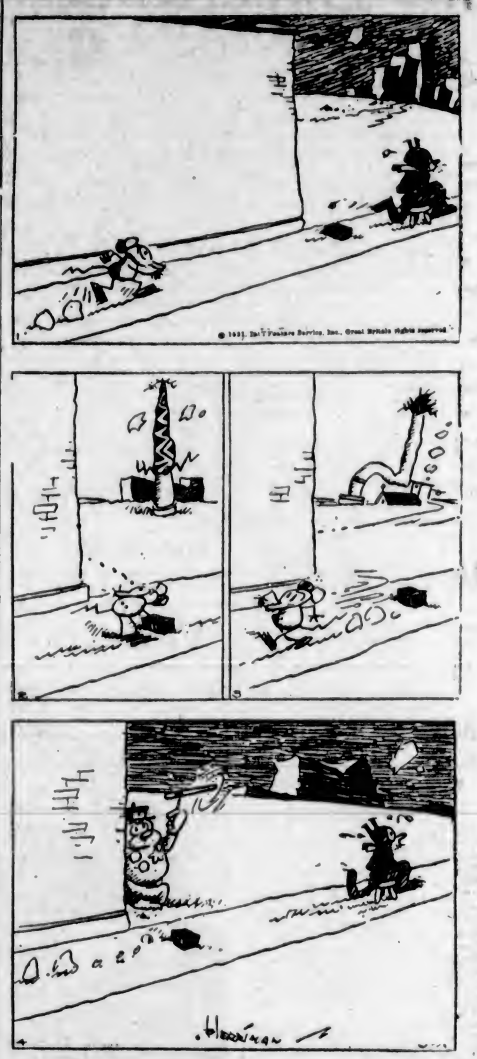

THE DOT CARTOONIST, BY GEORGE BELL

"Lay those cards down and get busy." "I am busy. The mate told me to scrub the . . ." (Kindly draw straight lines between the numbers.)

A correspondent says: Whenever I read a book of reminiscences, I wonder what writers of autobiographies would do if there was no Bernard Shaw to enliven their pages with his wit? Lord Sanderson is the latest "culprit," and the particular story which he tells is characteristic of Shaw.

It concerns a certain young man who demanded to be introduced to him. The introduction was arranged and after shaking hands the young man said, in a very patronizing manner: "I have been wanting to meet you for a long time, Mr. Shaw."

"I shall never," writes Lord Sanderson, "forget the tone of Shaw's voice as—not unkindly, but with a note of satirical amusement—he replied: 'And I, my dear ——, have been living for this day ever since I saw the announcement of your birth in the newspapers.'"

Lawbreakers in New York, we are told, have a regular organization with officers. The head officer, we suppose, is the vice-president.

My Experiences In the World War

By GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING
Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces in the World War.

Chapter LXIV

Preparations for St Mihiel Drive by Americans Are Completed—Germans Seem to Suspect Attack by Americans—Secretary Baker at the Front—Pershing Outlines Order of Battle—Bombardment Plan Calculated to Deceive the Germans—Four Divisions to Go in Without Previous Battle Experience.

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SECRETARY of War Baker arrived at Brest September 8 and two days later came out from Paris to my headquarters at the front, Ligny-en-Barrois. Arrangements were then complete for the St. Mihiel offensive and a final conference was held the afternoon of the tenth with corps commanders and their chiefs of staff.

My diary of September 10 notes: "Germans seem to suspect an attack by Americans." An extract from the German paper, Taeglische Rundschau, follows:

"General von Siebert forsees an early blow from American forces. Even though the German official communique says 'All is well and our front holds good,' and though French and British attacks have failed and their fronts have not been enlarged lately, there is another danger against which we must guard, a danger coming from the south, on the Aisne-Vesle.

"We must reckon with America's strength and numbers we have learned to know and understand. We shall see in what form they intend to participate in Foch's offensive, or whether they will undertake an independent action on a great scale.

As Americans pay strict attention to clock-like working of their machine, we must expect them to take their time while making minute studies and preparations for their attack."

Concentration Starts

The actual concentration of troops and material to form our first army had been begun in the St. Mihiel region in early August. The greater part of the American troops involved had previously been serving at other points along the western front. As railway and motor transport became avalable units were brought from the British front, from the French armies about Chateau Thierry and from the Vosges. They were held in billeting areas back of the battle lines, where they received replacements, were re-equipped and continued their training.

Movements of certain auxiliary units and the French artillery could not be carried out until after September 2, as much of the transportation which came from the French was in use farther west. Because of the scarcity of roads and the necessity for the crossing of columns, complete march tables for this assembly had to be prepared by First Army headquarters. The concentration was conducted with efficiency and celerity, and the organization of the First Army was completed in these areas back of the front lines.

The next problem was the movement forward to the battle line. Beginning at the end of August all combatant units were quietly moved up near their proper places in line. The aviation force, consisting of nearly 1,400 planes under General Mitchell, was the strongest assembled during the war up to that time. It included the British independent bombing squadrons under General Trenchard, which Marshal Haig had generously sent, and which were particularly useful for attacking important rail centres in rear of the enemy's line. It also included a French air division of 600 planes which General Petain had placed at our disposal. This force gave us a superiority over the enemy in the air which was maintained throughout the offensive.

No Heavy Tanks

A number of heavy and light tanks had been promised by the French and British for this attack, but a few days before the battle it was found that few light tanks and no heavy ones would be available. In tanks we had only 267, all of French manufacture, although 154 were manned by American troops.

In addition to the American divisions assembled for the battle, four French divisions, three of which were then serving under the French Second Colonial Corps around the tip of the salient, were assigned to our army for the operation.

The total strength of the First Army when ready for battle was about 550,000 American and 150,000 French troops.

The engineers were on hand with personnel and material to begin the reconstruction of roads and light railways in the wake of our advance. The signal troops were there to extend communications. Arrangements for medical aid were ready, many installations having been taken over from the French, who assisted us materially in this work. The task was greater because of the size and shape of the salient, which made it necessary for us to organize two systems of supply. One of these was to serve troops operating against the southern face and the other to serve those attacking from the west.

Ready for Attack

The large number of preliminary arrangements were completed expeditiously and efficiently, and the First Army was ready to undertake its first independent operation. Except for some delay in the arrival of part of the French heavy artillery, the attack could have been made as early as September 10.

The St. Mihiel salient lay between the Meuse and the Moselle rivers, and was roughly outlined by the triangle Pont-a-Mousson, St. Mihiel, Verdun. On the western side of this area the wooded heights of the Meuse extend along the east bank of the river. East of these heights lies the broad plain of the Woevre, with its large forest areas and numerous lakes and swamps. High wooded bluffs follow both banks of the Moselle, and the deep ravines and heavy forests on the western bank offer difficult terrain for offensive operations. Between the Moselle and Meuse rivers, the only stream of any importance is the Rupt de Mad, which flows northeast through Thiaucourt and empties into the Moselle.

The principal forests in the plain of the Woevre are the Bois le Pretre, the Bois de Mort Mare and the Bois de Vigneulles. From the heights of Loupmont and Montsec and from the steep eastern bluff of the Cotes de Meuse practically every portion of the plain is visible.

The possession by our army of the eastern edge of the heights of the Meuse northwest to Les Eparges was a distince advantage to us.

But farther south the enemy held large sections of these heights, which gave him not only important observation stations but also means for concealing masses of artillery that could fire either against our lines to the south on the Woevre plain or to the west into the valley of the Meuse. This situation made it especially advisable for us, in order to prevent the concentration of this artillery fire in one direction, to attack the west face of the salient in conjunction with any attack against the south face.

The main rail lines and roads run along the river valleys, with subsidiaries passing through the heart of the salient and along the eastern slops of the heights of the Meuse.

The Woevre is seriously affected by the wet season, which begins about the middle of September. In dry weather the water supply is difficult, while during the rainy period the country becomes flooded, rendering many of the roads impassable.

Defences Are Strong

During four years' occupation the Germans had strengthened the natural defensive features by elaborate fortifications and by a dense network of barbed wire that covered the entire front. There were four or five defensive positions, the first of which included the outpost system, the fourth being the Hindenburg Line, back of which were a series of detached works, and in the rear the permanent fortifications of Metz and Thionville.

The strength of the defences had been fully demonstrated earlier in the war, when powerful attacks of the French launched against various points of the line had been defeated with heavy losses.

The salient was practically a great field fortress. It had, however, the characteristic weakness of all salients in that it could be attacked from both flanks in converging operations, and this was the essence of our plan. The heaviest blow was to be from the south, where there were no great natural features to be overcome, while the secondary attack was to drive in from the west to join up with the main attack in the heart of the salient.

The principal obstacle to success was the exceptional strength of the hostile position. Aside from all the elaborate field fortifications he had constructed, the enemy had a tremendous advantage in observation and in communications. In addition, the wooded areas, with their protection for machine guns, quick firing artillery and reserve units constituted formidable abstacles.

Objective Limited

In our original plans it had been my purpose to follow the crushing of the salient with an immediatae continuation of the offensive to drive through the Hindenburg line and go as much farther as possible, depending upon the success obtained and the opposition.

As we have seen, however, the agreement reached in conference, September 2, limitd the operations to the reduction of the salient itself. The basic features of the plan were not altered, but its objectives were limited and the number of troops to be employed were reduced.

A tactical surprise was essential to success, as the strength of the position would permit small enemy forces to inflict heavy losses on attacking troops, and therefore no time should be afforded the enemy to bring up reinforcements. The salient had been regarded for some time as a quiet sector and was usually occupied by seven enemy divisions in the front line, with two in reserve. It was estimated that the enemy could reinforce it by two divisions in two days, two more in three days, and as many divisions as were available in four days.

From captured documents and other sources of information it seemed reasonable to conclude that the enemy had prepared a plan for withdrawal from the salient to the Hindenburg Line in case of heavy Allied pressure. There was no doubt he was aware an American attack was probable.

Expect Attack

We were again concerned over reports from the French and even the Germans that an American offensive was expected in the direction of Metz, and naturally, if the enemy reallly expected such an attack, he would increase his strength on that front. Any special measures the enemy should take to this end would make our task more difficult, and as anything short of complete success would undoubtedly have been seized upon to our disadvantage by those of our Allies who opposed the policy of forming an American army, no chances of a repulse in our first battle could be taken.

These considerations prompted the decision to use some of our most experienced divisions along with the others. If it had been possible later I would have liked to have held out more of these older divisions for use in the larger offensive which was planned, but they had already been committed before it was definitely decided we should have the Meuse-Argonne front.

Fooled Germans

As the plans for the battle neared completion, the duration of the preliminary artillery bombardment came up for consideration as effecting the element of surprise. Practically all previous attacks by the Allies had been preceded by severe bombardments, in some instances lasting days. If we should pursue the same method the enemy would, of course, be fully warned of the attack. I decided therefore that there should be only enough preliminary artillery fire to disconcert the enemy and still not leave him time to withdraw or bring up reserves in any number before we could attack.

A reasonable amount of firing would give encouragement to our own troops and would be especially advantageous in case rain should make the ground difficult for the tanks. The length of time for the preliminary bombardment was therefore fixed at four hours, which proved wise.

In the order of battle for the main attack, the 1st Corps (Liggett) was on the right, with the 82nd Division (Burnham) astride the Moselle, and the 90th (Allen), the 5th (McMahon), and the 2nd (Lejeunne) in order from east to west. Then came the 4th Corps (Dickman) with the 89th Division (Wright), the 42nd Division (Menoher) and the 1st Division (Summerall).

The 5th Corps (Cameron), with the 26th Division (Edwards), and part of the 4th Division (Hines), assisted by the French 15th Colonial Division, was to conduct the secondary attack against the west face. In this corps the 26th Division alone was to make a deep advance, directed southeast toward Vigneulles. At the point of the salient was the French 2nd Colonial Corps, in which were the French 39th and 26th Infantry Division and the 2nd Dismounted Cavalry Divisions. This corps was not to make a serious attack, but was to follow up the successes on the flanks.

Lack Experience

Of the three American corps and nine divisions in the front line, the 4th and 5th Corps had little battle experience, and the 5th, 82nd, 89th and 90th Divisions had never been engaged in offensive combat.

Our divisions in reserve were, for the 1st Corps, the 78th (McRae), for the 4th Corps the 3rd (Buck), and for the 5th Corps part of the 4th Division (Hines). The army reserve consisted of the 35th (Traub), 91st (Johnston), and 80th (Cronkhite) Divisions.

On the date of the attack the enemy had in the salient proper nine divisions in line and one in reserve. These troops consisted of one division of the Metz group, four divisions of the Bavarian 1st Corps and three of the 5th Corps, with one division in reserve. The sector was under General Von Fuchs.

The attack was difficult in that the troops on the south were required to make a change in direction of sixty degrees during the advance. The long-range guns of Metz covered the Moselle Valley as far as Pagny-sur-Moselle, and the enemy's positions on the heights to the east and west of the Moselle gave each other mutual support. These factors made it advisable to refuse our right and make no attempt initially to carry the heights on the west bank of the river.

The final infantry employment along the front of departure was delayed generally until the night of September 11-12, to avoid the possibility of the enemy gaining information of the additional strength on the front by the capture of prisoners. The artillery went into position from two to three nights before the attack.

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In 1769 he began, on the summit of the mountain, to build the house into which he moved when in the following year fire destroyed Shadwell and which when completed became the mansion now so famous, named after the mountain on which it stood, Monticello.

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